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2 YOUTHS TO REFORMATORY

SENTENCES OF KEMPF AND CALFEE ARE COMMUTED.

SCHOOL CASE IS TRIED

Suit From Holt County Seeks To Compel Consolidated District To Re-open Schools.

The penitentiary sentences of Lester Kempf and Arthur Calfee, the former convicted of the stealing of a hog and the latter pleading guilty to receiving of stolen property, were commuted in Circuit Court this morning to two years in the Missouri Reform School at Boonville.

Each of the youths had been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Judge John M. Dawson commuted the sentences after overruling a motion for new trial by Kempf. The latter's attorneys then appealed to the Supreme Court. He filed an affidavit that he was insolvent and unable to pay for a bill of exceptions and the court ordered the bill drawn by the court stenographer.

The order for commutation of both sentences stated that "this is a first offense for the defendant, he is between the ages of 17 and 30, and his previous habits, conduct and associations warrant a commutation to confinement in the Missouri Reform School for a term of two years."

Kempf is but 19 years old. Calfee is 24 and is married. The court had taken Calfee's sentence under advisement. Judge Dawson held that both youths were equally involved in the theft and that Calfee's sentence should be the same as that of Kempf.

School Case Is Heard.

This afternoon a school case from Holt County is on trial. It is a mandamus proceeding in which J. W. Miller, John Miles, John Nay and others, residents of Consolidated School District No. 1, seek to compel the board of education of the district to open two schools which it has closed.

Other relators are John Mann, Lee Meek, Charles Randall, H. R. Baylea, H. E. Banner, E. L. Busch, James Kennish, Chris Smith, J. P. Walker, Fred Wrench and Emery Neely.

The respondents are Paul Zachery, Isaac D. Painter, Lester Griffith, Samuel Andes, Frank Broker and Perry Walker.

The case was originally brought in Holt County, then transferred on change of venue to Atchison County and finally, by agreement, brought here. The district involved includes about twenty-five square miles in the north part of Holt County. It was organized on June 14, 1913, and the four school districts consolidated were known as Minnesota Valley, Dale Center, Liberty and Ross Grove.

Smaller Schools Closed.

The relators charge that the board of education of the consolidated district has exceeded its authority by closing two of the districts—Dale Center and Liberty—and establishing a grammar school in connection with the rural high school for which consolidation was voted. Since the filing of the petition, the other two schools have been closed also.

The relators charge that the Dale Center and Liberty schools are two and a half miles from the high school building and that the children in the two districts are compelled to go from two and a half to four miles.

The board professes to have acted under the statute which provides that when the average attendance of any school falls below ten, it may be closed for the rest of the term and the pupils transported to another school. The petitioners allege that the pupils are not being so transported except in a few instances.

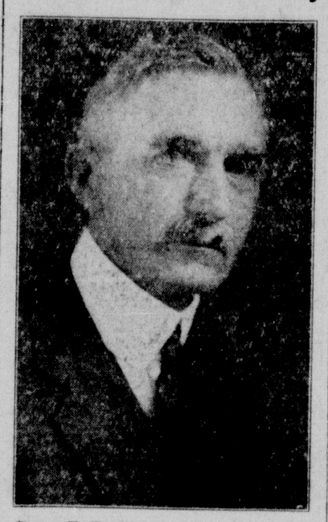
Robert L. Minton of Oregon and J. B. Dearmont of Mound City are the attorneys for the relators, while A. M. Tibbels of Mound City and R. B. Bridgeman of Oregon represent the board.

Expected to Lessen Mitchell Suspension

Verdict Of "Jury Of Generals" Is Formally Placed In Hands Of President Coolidge For Action.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Col. William Mitchell's five-year suspension sentence was placed in the hands of President Coolidge for final action today. It is expected the President will mitigate the sentence.

To Speak Here Friday



Dean F. B. Mumford of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri, who will speak at the annual meeting of the Nodaway County Farm Bureau here Friday afternoon.

WRAY HEADS H.S. STUDENTS

CHOSEN PRESIDENT AT ELECTION THIS MORNING.

GOFORTH, VICE-PRES.

Will Elect Successor to "Dingy" Howland As Yell Leader In Near Future.

Lawrence Wray, an advanced junior in the Maryville High School, was chosen president of the student body at an election held this morning. He succeeds Donald Aley, who held the office until his graduation on January 15. Wray was chosen after the student body had ruled that there should be a new election rather than for the vice-president to be promoted to the higher office.

This is the third honor of the year for young Wray. He was chosen the most versatile boy in school, and he is president of the Hi-Y Club.

Lawrence Wray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wray. He has served as president of the Hi-Y Club, one of the leading boys organizations of the local high school, was formerly president of the Claytonian Literary Society and has held various minor offices. By the faculty of the High School he was named the most versatile boy of the school, his appointment being made on the basis of dependability, participation in a variety of school activities and through scholarship.

Donald Goforth will continue as vice-president. Willis Wamsley is secretary, his office being the only one that faced no change since the election in October.

An election will be held in the near future to choose a yell leader to succeed "Dingy" Howland, who was graduated in the mid-year class.

Woman Recovers From Case of Hiccoughs

Mexico, Mo., Jan. 25.—Mrs. George Davis, today recovered from the puzzling case of hiccoughs which has confined her to her home for twenty-nine days. The recovery came after local doctors had exhausted almost every known remedy.

LOCAL CHURCH WORK PLANNED

PASTORAL RELATIONSHIP OF REV. ALLISON DISSOLVED.

SEEKING NEW MINISTER

Committee Plans To Have Pulpit Filled Each Sunday Pending Agreement On New Minister.

The Presbytery of St. Joseph met in special session in St. Joseph last Saturday in connection with the luncheon for Dr. Erdman for some special business. Chief among this business was to act on the removal of the Rev. S. P. Allison from the Maryville Presbyterian Church to the Presbyterian Church of Charleston, Ill., and to arrange for others to take up the responsibilities Mr. Allison has carried for the work of the Presbytery of St. Joseph.

At the joint request of the Rev. Mr. Allison and the Maryville congregation the pastoral relationship was ordered dissolved, effective January 31st. Mr. Allison was officially dismissed to the Presbytery of Mattoon. At the request of the session of the Maryville church Dr. Arthur J. McClung, pastor of the Westminster Church of St. Joseph was appointed moderator of the session of the Maryville church. As such he will be the presiding officer while the church is without a pastor and will co-operate with the local pastoral committee. Uel W. Lamkin and Fred French of that committee were present and conferred with Dr. McClung on matters relating to a new pastor.

Mr. Allison for nearly three years has been chairman of the Committee on Program and Field Activities. This committee is made up of the chairman of the other standing committees of the Presbytery, and its purpose is to co-ordinate the work of the Presbytery. As chairman Mr. Allison was charged with the handling of financial matters, assignment of quotas to the churches as their part of the benevolent budget. Mr. Allison also edited from Maryville, "The Presbytery Work" a monthly paper circulating in 2200 homes of the Presbytery of St. Joseph to promote the work of the churches. Mr. Allison was also secretary of the same committee of the synod of Missouri.

Dr. Arthur J. McClung of St. Joseph, a member of the committee was appointed chairman pro-tem until a definite successor to Mr. Allison could be secured. Fred French of Maryville was appointed to care for the interests of the Presbytery in maintaining the second class entry for "The Presbytery Work" pending the selection of a new editor.

In accordance with present plans, and the action of the Presbytery Mr. Allison will preach his last sermon here as pastor Sunday morning, January 31st. It is the plan of the session of the church to have the pulpit supplied while the new pastor is being secured. This means that all services will go on as usual.

The pastoral committee consists of Uel W. Lamkin, Fred French, Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Hal Hooker and one other to be appointed. They are already in touch with some strong men, and anticipate that the pulpit will not be vacant long. The committee will meet Wednesday evening to definitely organize and elect officers.

European Stations Will Try to Relay Programs to America During This Week

European broadcasting stations will attempt to relay their programs to America between 10 and 11 p. m., each night this week as a part of the international broadcasting test.

Below is given a list of the American and foreign broadcasting stations, participating in this test, with the call letters of each:

American Station Call	American Station Wave Length	Foreign Station Wave Length	Foreign Sation Call	Foreign Station Location	Power Watts
KYW	535.4	531	LP	Berlin	1600
WEAF	491.5	496	2BD	Aberdeen	1500
WOC	483.6	480	5IT	Birmingham	1500
WOS	440.9	438	2BE	Belfast	1500
WLW	422.3	422	1RO	Rome	1600
WKRC	422.3	420	5SC	Glasgow	1500
WJY	405.2	403	5NO	Newcastle	1500
WOAI	394.5	392	RI	Madrid	1500
WMBF	384.4	385	6BM	Bournemouth	1500
KTHS	374.8	375	2ZY	Manchester	1500
KGO	361.2	363.5	2LO	London	3000
WWJ	352.7	351	5WA	Cardiff	1500
KOB	384.6	347	PTT	Paris	460
WSAI	325.9	327.5	2EH	Edinburgh	1500
WCAR	263	262	SBR	Brussels	1500

Two girls loved Jim Rand. There was beautiful, black-haired Mary Lowell, who almost broke his heart. The gently reared, but intensely jealous Mary.

And then there was Olga Maynard. Life had not been gentle with this girl of the cabarets. It had bruised her and left her shaken and a little defiant.

And when the law, grimly following the trail of the murdered of Henry Rand, pointed its finger at Olga, there was only one who believed her. That, strangely, was Jim Rand, the murdered man's son. No wonder she came to love him.

In "THE YELLOW STUB," The Democrat-Forum and Tribune's great new serial, the author, Ernest Lynn, has created a thrilling mystery around the strange murder of Henry Rand. It is the sort of story that will find a warm spot in the hearts of all those who like mystery, thrills and red-blooded adventure—and that means nearly all of us.

But in addition, "THE YELLOW STUB" contains a love theme equally as thrilling—the love of two women for a man. It is a story that will hold you as few as you have ever read before.

It Starts In This Paper January 27.

OLD OFFICERS ARE RETAINED

A. B. DOWDEN AGAIN HEADS FARMERS EXCHANGE DIRECTORS.

THREE EMPLOYES QUIT

Wages Reduced in Effort to Reduce Expenses.—Products Handled on Close Margin.

A. B. Dowden was re-elected president of the board of directors of the Farmers' Exchange at a board meeting which followed that of the stockholders of the exchange Saturday afternoon.

J. P. Deardorff was re-elected secretary-treasurer and L. E. Rogers was made vice-president.

At its short meeting Saturday, the board decided to reduce the wages of the exchange employes in an effort to reduce expenses. As a result there was a miniature strike this morning. Elmer Sell, J. L. Partridge and J. Arthur Dowden refused to accept the cut and walked out.

The board retained H. S. Stevens as manager, and Miss Daisy Llewellyn continues as bookkeeper.

The officers of the exchange declined to discuss the walk-out of the three employes. Another meeting of the board was called for this afternoon for a further discussion of policies.

The Farmers Exchange had a net operating loss of $671.52 for 1925, according to the annual report submitted to the stockholders Saturday, but this included $463.50 for accounts charged off, part of which may be made good, and $459.26 for depreciation.

Mr. Dowden pointed out today that while there was not an actual profit, the exchange had handled its large volume of goods on a very close margin and that both stockholders and other customers had benefited.

Aluminum Inquiry Is Ended Suddenly Today

Walsh Of Montana Intimates He Will Ask Senate To Widen Scope Of Investigating Committee.

Washington, Jan. 25—The aluminum inquiry conducted by the Senate judiciary committee to ascertain if the department of justice exercised due dilligence in prosecuting an investigation of the Mellon-controlled Aluminum Company of America closed suddenly today.

Senator Walsh of Montana intimated that he would ask the Senate to widen the scope of the committee.

Two Deals Made for Nodaway County Land

The William Diss farm of 160 acres, eight and a half miles southeast of Maryville, was sold Saturday to Lawrence Diss, Harry Mutz and Harry Yates. The consideration was $86 per acre.

William Thornhill has sold his eighty-acre farm, four miles east of Maryville, to Walter Dickie. Possession will be given March 1. This deal was made by R. F. Wallace.

ANOTHER NEW THEATRE PLAN

KANSAS CITY CORPORATION TO BUILD HERE.

ON KEELER BLDG. SITE

Engineer From Boller Bros., Architects, To Let Contract for Tear-Down Immediately.

The Mid-West Film Distributors Corporation of Kansas City, today announced that they will build a $60,000 theatre in Maryville. The theatre will be located on the site of the Keeler Building on North Main street, one door south of the Townsend Wholesale Grocery Co.

L. M. Miller and E. C. Rhoden, representatives of the corporation, were in Maryville today completing arrangements. Last week Mr. Rhoden was here making a preliminary survey. He was accompanied by R. Hettlesater, chief engineer for Boller Bros., theatrical architects of Kansas City, who have designed the plans for the new building.

The theatre will be 44 by 132 feet. It will have a seating capacity of approximately 850 persons and will be the fourteenth of a chain owned by the Kansas City corporation. Among the theatres owned by the corporation are ones in Wichita, Atchison, Winfield, and Newton, Kan., and in Kansas City and Kirksville.

Mr. Miller is also president of the Miller Theatrical Enterprise which owns and controls five theatres in Wichita.

One of the features of the theatre is to be its elaborate furnishing. The entire building will be carpeted and the most improved indirect lighting system will be installed.

The stage will be large enough to accommodate any road show. It will have a depth of 24 feet and will have an opening of 26 feet.

The corporation owns one of the leading film exchanges in Kansas City. Approximately fifty-two feature films are released by this exchange each year. In this manner, the theatres on the circuit are assured of a better type of attractions than could be obtained by any individual house.

In speaking of the policies of the new theatre, Mr. Rhoden said, "Maryville's new theatre will be associated with a string of other houses, and will be assured of the best in moving pictures. A vaudeville policy will be maintained at least one day each week."

Mr. Hettlesater will return to Maryville tonight and will immediately let contracts for the wrecking of the building.

Number to Attend C. of C. Dinner Tonight

A number of persons are expected to be present at the Chamber of Commerce banquet at the Hotel Linville at 6:30 o'clock tonight. Several matters of importance will be discussed.

Cokely Infant Dies at Home Yesterday

Doris May, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orley Cokely, died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning at the Cokely home, south of Maryville. Death was caused by intestinal flu.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home conducted by the Rev. Guy L. Prather of the Baptist Church. Burial was in Miriam cemetery.

The child was nine months old and was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Cokely about two months ago.

Probate Court Makes Two Appointments

Fay D. Harmon of Bolckow has been appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Rebecca A. Bedwell, also of Bolckow, who died on January 15. Mr Harmon is a son-in-law of Mrs. Bedwell. The estate consists chiefly of a 225-acre farm in this county, to be divided among seven children.

Probate Judge Jesse L. Robertson also appointed Fred L. Lyle of Barnard as administrator of the estate of his father-in-law, John W. Fuller, also of Barnard, who died April 3, 1923. The estate was not entered for probate until after the death of Mrs. Fuller, which occurred recently.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued this afternoon in the county recorder's office to Timothy J. Vaughn and Mary Catherine Gross, both of Maryville.

Tax Cut by March 15 Appears Doubtful Now

House Serves Notice It Will Not Swallow Meekly Changes Made By Senate In Measure.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Tax reduction by March 15, the date on which 1925 returns are due, appeared doubtful today with the Senate in a snarl and the House serving notice it will not swallow meekly the changes made by the Senate.

Seven weeks from today is the date on which returns must be made and the Senate has not even started debating the bill yet.

As soon as the World Court question has been disposed of, the Senate faces a fight on some of the provisions of the tax bill, including the elimination of state taxes, the repeal of the publicity clause and the repeal of the capital stock tax.

Senator Smoot, chairman of the Senate finance committee, plans to push the bill to a vote by February 15, leaving thirty days to iron out the differences.

ARRESTED ON INDICTMENTS

HARVEY WEIR AND LEWIS DUNCAN TAKEN BY SHERIFF.

LATTER ADMITS GUILT

Fined $1,000 for Possession of Liquor, He Then Is Paroled—Weir Held on Weapon Charge.

Two arrests on grand jury indictments were made yesterday by Sheriff Lowell B. Campbell. The men arrested were Harvey Weir, charged with carrying a concealed weapon, and Lewis Duncan, charged with possession and sale of intoxicating liquor.

In Circuit Court this afternoon Duncan waived formal arraignment and pleaded guilty to the first count of the indictment against him. He was fined $1,000 but was paroled "for good cause shown," upon payment of the costs. He was given a stay of execution for ninety days on the costs.

George Pat Wright, prosecuting attorney, then nolle prossed the other charge. The offense to which Duncan pleaded guilty took place in August, 1925.

Both arrests were made near Graham. Weir lives on a farm near that town with his wife and mother. He furnished bond of $700 and his case was continued.

Duncan lives with his father on the Dave Gelvin farm, southeast of Graham. He is unmarried.

With these two arrests, Sheriff Campbell announced that the county jail is full to overflowing—and there are fourteen capiases on grand jury indictments yet to be served.

The jail now has twenty prisoners. Not only is every cell filled but every cot is occupied. If there any other applicants, the sheriff announces that a "standing room only" sign will have to be borrowed from the theatre.

Weir is charged with having had "revolving pistol" on January 15, 1926.

Former Hopkins Woman Dies in Kansas

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Zeke Dooley of Manhattan, Kan., at 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Manhattan. Miss Georgia Dooley and John Dooley of Hopkins, a niece and nephew, were called to Manhattan last Monday.

Mrs. Dooley formerly lived at Hopkins where her husband was a photographer. She is survived by a son and daughter, Paul and Merle Dooley, both of Manhattan.

Maitland Minister to Griswold, Ia. Church

The Rev. D. W. Conner, who has been pastor of the Christian Church at Maitland for the last two years, has accepted a call to the Christian Church at Griswold, Ia. He will leave for his new charge February 1.

Mr. Conner visited in Maryville yesterday with his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Goforth, and family, and attended the county convention at the Christian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Scott left this afternoon for Garden Grove, Ia., to spend a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Spellerberg, before going to their new home in Kansas City.

SENATE VOTES CLOTURE RULE

WILL LIMIT DEBATE ON WORLD COURT ISSUE.

SHOWDOWN THIS WEEK

Final Action On International Proposal May Be Taken Wednesday—Reed Attempts Delay.

Washington, Jan. 25.—American adherence to the World Court, around which is raging a fight as bitter as the memorable League of Nations struggle, was brought a step closer this afternoon when the Senate upset a cherished tradition and imposed cloture upon itself for the second time in its history.

The vote was sixty-eight to twenty-six.

The restriction of debate will result in a final vote on American adherence within a week and the vote by which this was accomplished this afternoon left little doubt as to the ultimate outcome.

The irreconcilables and a handful of Senators, inherently opposed to cloture, opposed restriction of debate.

Outnumbered and outvoted, the irreconcilables found solace only in the fact that they have forced the adoption of several drastic reservations as will virtually make the Senate itself and not the President the judge of what shall be submitted to the court's jurisdiction.

The vote was taken before a monstrous crowd that packed the galleries and forced capitol police to establish lines through the corridors.

The occasion was given a dramatic touch by the presence of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the widow of the war-time President, who came to see her husband's greatest post-war dreams of international peace take a long step nearer realization.

A pretentious silence pervaded the chamber at 1 o'clock this afternoon when Vice-President Dawes rapped for order and laid the Lenroot motion for cloture before the Senate. The ringing of bells followed as a quorum was called and Senators filed into their seats from the adjoining cloakrooms.

Limits Court Debate.

There was a quorum present and Dawes solemnly asked, "Is it the sense of the Senate that the debate shall be brought to a close?"

Cries of, "Question" and "Vote" came from the floor.

"Call the roll," said Dawes and the vote began.

By adopting cloture, the Senate limits each Senator to one hour's debate in all upon not only the resolution of adherence but upon all reservations and amendments as well.

As most of the pro-court Senators will not utilize their full time and there are only sixteen irreconcilables the final vote probably will come within thirty hours of debate, sometime next Saturday or Monday.

Cloture also shut off the introduction of all new reservations and amendments and all dilatory motions are out of order.

Both Senators from Missouri voted against cloture.

Klan Opposes Court.

Senator Robinson, Democratic floor leader, mentioned the Ku Klux Klan as opposing the court and church organizations as favoring it when the Senate convened and the preliminaries to the voting began.

"The Klan has as much right to petition Congress as a women's or church organization, but not more," said Robinson. "The amazing thing, however, is to see the Senator from Missouri (Reed) parading along with a Ku Klux Klan Kleagle on one arm and a dragon on the other."

"Do you mean to intimate I am a member of the Klan or ever supported it?" demanded Reed.

"No," replied Robinson.

"Then, don't intimate it," snapped Reed.

"The Senator (Reed) attacks propaganda and when I show him the Klan has stood with him, he gets very restless," said Robinson. "Is he ashamed of his company?"

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Weather

Snow probable tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer in the extreme north portion tonight.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY

IT HAS POSSIBILITIES.

The recently formed organization known as the "Association for Economy in Public Expenditures" has been aptly termed an association to hunt state waste. That is exactly what it is. It is hoped to locate inexcusable waste in public affairs wherever they may be and to bring concrete instances to the attention of both administrative and law making bodies in Missouri together with recommendations for measures that, if adopted, will eliminate or at least reduce useless expenditure of public monies.

It is a big undertaking and its work may not be completed for a term of years. It has been brought about by many of the most prominent business men of the state and its meetings so far have been attended by men of standing and good hard business sense from all parts of the state from Hannibal to Joplin and from St. Joseph to Cape Girardeau. It is non-partisan and is not directed at any particular party or set of officers. It believes there are many cases of inefficient handling of public affairs both through custom and the sanction of law. It believes there is waste in duplication, in red tape, and in antiquated methods that should be revised and put on a business basis.

It does not believe that Missouri is worse off than other states. In fact Missouri has always been regarded as very conservative in the matter of public expenditure. It is a fact however that the cost of government in all the states and in counties and municipalities has increased tremendously as compared with pre-war levels It is a fact also that, while an effort is being made to reduce expenses by the federal government, the costs of state government are continually increasing. This calls for heavier taxes and new forms of taxation. One man stated in the recent meeting at Kansas City that his taxes had increased 700 per cent in the past eight years.

There is not time in the usual 70 day terms of the state legislature to investigate, initiate and propose any far reaching reforms and the result is that new laws are usually passed calling for new positions and new expenses without any reductions of old expenses. The constitutional convention proposed some measures that would have saved Missouri millions of dollars but they were defeated at the polls through prejudice and misunderstanding largely. If the legislatures of the state had the time to go into state affairs exhaustively, the leading political parties are so evenly divided that neither would want to stand sponsor for any general revision because of the political opposition it might arouse but, if worthwhile recommendations can be made by a purely non-partisan body made up of business men representing all lines of business and professional life, after careful and unbiased research, it is believed they will command attention.

An investigation will be made by competent men. Just what it will develop no one knows but it is hoped that it will lead to better business in public affairs generally, to better public service, and to a reduction in taxes. Public officers have already indicated that they will welcome such an investigation and will perhaps be able to suggest where improvements may be made.

Beauty used to be only skin deep
Now its only rouge deep

Their Ranks Are Thinning.

(Tri-County News, King City)

Eight members—four of them able to get to Post headquarters for a meeting. That is the present strength of King City Post No. 86, Grand Army of the Republic, which once boasted 149 members, but which now is fast passing into history.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Mamma fooled me today. She called me her precious little man, an' didn't even want me to run a errand."

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And Hair Doesn't Grow Where There's Action

Guy D. Goff Of West Virginia Is Bald As A Doorknob and Resembles Kewpie—Somewhat Insurgent.

By CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer.

Washington—Guy D. Goff of West Virginia is a new senator.

That is, he was one of the last batch elected, in 1924.

This is his first session, except the short extra one, of the Senate alone, for consideration of presidential appointments, last March.

Of all the senators, Goff is the funniest looking.

Bald as a doorknob, with a round, chubby face, innocently wide-eyed face, he resembles a kewpie more than anything else, or, as one of his fellow members remarked, a cross between Humpty Dumpty and John Bull.

He knows his political stuff, nevertheless.

Right at the start he undertook the important job of leading the fight against the seating of Gerald P. Nye, whom the regular Republicans didn't want, because, though he calls himself a Republican, he's of the insurgent type.

Goff fell down on this stunt but he made the very best of a poor case and was beaten by only two votes.

He's a most effective speaker—no frills, furbelows or flights of fancy, but extremely clear, logical, convincing and to the point, not so common a merit among senators, who decline to wander verbally all over the lot.

If Robert M. La Follette, the present, stays in the Senate until he's 100, he undoubtedly will still be known as "Young Bob."

That name appears to be fastened on him for keeps.

There isn't, however, a sedater member of Congress. He takes his responsibilities very, very seriously. He doesn't stagger under 'em, however. He's not in the least puffed up, but he clearly has confidence in himself.

What Other Editors Say

ABUSES OF THE PARDONING POWER.

(Editorial from the Christian Science Monitor).

Recent wholesale abuses of the pardoning power vested by some of the states of the American Union in their chief executives are by no means the first which have served to call attention of the people, as a whole, to the needless risks of such a delegation of authority. Instances have been cited, almost without number in which favoritism, the hope of gaining political advantage, or fear, have influenced governors in dealing with applications for pardons or commutations of sentences. The abuses which have resulted have been, generally speaking, in cases where the discretionary authority has been reposed in a single official. But there are numerous cases where partisan boards or commissions, have similarly abused the discretionary power exercised by them.

There is noted in America a commendable effort to make less rigorous and unbending the provisions of the penal codes. The time comes when tempered mercy shown the offender who has been convicted and sentenced will aid his reformation much more certainly than the continued infliction of that punishment which the law, in its pretended impartiality, has decreed shall be suffered. But it is important that the keenest discretion and profoundest wisdom be employed in determining when and where pardon or clemency should be extended. Observation tends to convince the studious of the fact that in those states which have conferred the pardoning power upon officials answerable directly to the people, as in states where the Governor and Council, or the Governor, the Attorney-General and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, act ex-officio as a pardoning board, there have been few flagrant abuses of this power.

There is little doubt that there should be left to the Chief Executive of every State the privilege, in cases of emergency, of granting reprieves. Justice sometimes miscarries, and it is not infrequent that those convicted and condemned have, by some unexpected happening, been shown to be innocent. But beyond this power to reprieve those about to be irretrievably punished unjustly, no individual, it would seem, should be vested with this discretionary authority, especially if it is to be used in making it possible for the vicious to go unpunished.

Every recurring holiday season brings to those who would exercise this power, selfishly or unwisely, an opportunity to perpetrate abuses upon the people of their communities. Pretending to show mercy and to do justice where justice has failed, they reward their partisans at the public expense. Their selfish abuse of power is hardly less reprehensible than the offenses against the law for which the objects of their favor are punished.

THE FIRST WISDOM OF SELLING.

Years ago, after leaving the cattle country and the mining camps, I had considerable experience in selling stocks and bonds. That was up in the yester years and it is our other days that help us in these days.

The two experiences that I vividly recall may set you thinking as a salesman.

I had sold a man a small block of stock but the consuming fire of ambition prompted me to want to sell him more. In presenting my proposition I became very enthusiastic about its prospects, but the customer stopped me by saying: "Young man, if this stock is as good as you say it is, I've got enough to make me millions. If it is no good, 'Ive got too much." That settled it.

My next experience was with a man whom I considered very conservative and I began by telling him how safe and sound was my investment when to my surprise the man slipped through my net this way: "Conservative! My business is conservative enough. What I want is a wild speculation." And that's that.

The lessons I learned from these two blasted experiences are these, or rather this: The first wisdom in selling is to restrain the tongue.—The Silent Partner.

OUR OX IS GORED.

All this hot air about the rubber trust brings dry grins. Glass houses are a poor point of vantage from which to throw stones. The United States grows more wheat than it consumes and for years has been trying to find a way to make Europe and especially England pay a high price for wheat, also cotton. What English combinations in the rubber trade have done, if done by our own combinations in wheat and cotton we would be laughing over our smartness. We can very easily do without rubber tips for our lead pencils, they are a delusion anyhow, we can probably find a substitute for rubber articles of apparel and those who ride on balloon tires will pay the bill. Some way we generally manage to have motor cars on rubber tires regardless of the cost. It is not very becoming in us to yell our heads off about rubber prices.—Independence Examiner.

THE OLD IRON FIST AGAIN.

Former Kaiser to Celebrate Birthday Tomorrow With Elaborate Ceremonies

BY FREDERICK KUHN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Berlin, Jan. 25 (United Press).—Wilhelm II, once Germany's "all-highest" monarch and the mightiest ruler in the westeren hemisphere, will celebrate his 67th birthday tomorrow in Doorn. This is the ex-kaiser's eighth birthday in exile.

Unless carefully laid plans go awry, tomorrow's event will differ from preceding birthday parties in that numerous distinguished guests will partipate in the festivities. Among the guests will be Dutch aristocrats, with whom the ex-kaiser has befriended during his banishment, and who look upon the illustrious exile with favor because of the world wide fame which he has brought to this Holland resort.

The birthday will be commemorated by the former royal ceremony, except that the limited housing accommodations at Doorn will render impossible the pomp and circumstances of similar occasions at Berlin.

Among the guests who are expected to convey their congratulations to the ex-emperor in person are the crown-prince and his wife, the ex-monarch's brother, Prince Heinrich, and leaders of various fatherlandish associations. The League of Die-Hards, a post-war royalist organization, will also send a representative to Doorn for the first time to assure Wilhelm of their unswerving loyalty to the banished dynasty.

His Usual Stroll.

Rising at a sprightly hour, the ex-kaiser will indulge in his usual morning stroll in the Doorn gardens, where he will be met by a cluster of local admirers whose spokesman will step forward and deliver a message of felicitation.

Divine services will be held in the dining-room during the morning. A former royal chaplain will conduct the service from an altar, adorned with laurels from the ex-kaiser's hothouse. The ex-kaiser and his wife, Hermine, accompanied by their daughters, accompanied by their daughters, Princess Caroline-Mathilde and Princess Henriette, the crown-prince and wife, the duke and duchess of Braunschweig and Luennberg and Prince Heinrich, will be seated in the first row. Guests from Germany and Holland will sit behind the royal exiles and the last rows will be occupied by faithful household servants.

As text for the sermon, Wilhelm has proposed the passage from St. John, Chapter XVII, Verse 24:

"Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory, which thou hast given me: for thou lovedst me before the foundation of the world."

The spirit of the ceremony will be dictated by an utterance which the ex-kaiser made recently among a circle of intimate friends: "At last I understand," he said, "what the invisible kingdom of Jesus means. We are not on earth merely to be happy, but to save our souls."

Prince to Propose Toast.

Following the religious services, the company will adjourn to dinner, at which Prince Heinrich will propose a toast to His Imperial Majesty. Afterwards, a group of actors and singers, arrived from Germany especially for this occasion, will offer a musical and dramatic program in honor of the royal birthday.

In Germany, the ex-kaiser's birthday tomorrow will pass virtually unnoticed. A few clubs, which count their members among the disinherited aristocracy, and certain factions among the conservative nationalists and reactionary political parties, will pay hommage to their former ruler.

But there will be nothing to resemble the elaborate pomp of pre-republican time. Here and there tomorrow, homes, shops and offices will display a few desultory flags—the black-white-red of the old regime. But beyond such sparse, perfunctory demonstrations, Germany will ignore the event which, until a few years ago, annually swept the country into a welter of joy.

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The world seems worse because you seldom hear much comment about the bad things that don't happen.

You will make a poor job of growing old unless you take your time about it.

We don't know why girls leave home, but sometimes men leave home because they can't pay the taxes.

Has Developed Insulin in a Pure Crystal Form

Will Increase Life of Diabetic and Perhaps Be Preventive, Scientists Say.

Chicago, Jan. 23 (United Press).—Development of insulin in a chemically pure form crystal—termed one of the greatest scientific discoveries in modern times—was announced here by Dr. John J. Abel, aged professor of pharmacology in the John Hopkins medical school. The announcement was made last night to the Chicago institute of medicine.

The new discovery, scientists say will greatly increase the life of the diabetic and perhaps will serve as a preventive. The purification of insulin heretofore handled in a crude state is regarded as a tremendous stride.

Dr. Abel, now 70 years old, has devoted a greater part of his life to the development of pure drugs. It was he who discovered the products of pure adrenalin which by injection into the heart has saved the lives of babies thought dead. In addition, Dr. Abel discovered a pituitary tartrate and a substitute similar in action to digitalis.

The aged scientist has been working during the past few days with a broken leg, having been run down by an automobile.

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CLUB AND CHURCH CALENDAR

Monday

Jean MacKenzie Chapter of Westminster Guild meets with Miss Gertrude Sawyers, 620 North Main street, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday

Maryville branch, American Association of University Women, January meeting at home of Mrs. C. T. Bell on West Third street; other hostesses will be Miss Dora B. Smith, Miss Laveta McClanahan and Miss Katherine Helwig.

Ladies Auxiliary to Seth Ray David Post, regular meeting at V. F. W. rooms 7:30 p. m.

Mutual Improvement Circle meets with Mrs. Louisa Catterson, 604 North Main street; program on Alaska.

Wednesday

Penelope Club meets with Mrs. R. S. Braniger, 616 North Buchanan street.

Ireland Industrial Club, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. Charles Garrett; roll call, household hints.

Pickering Needlework Club, Mrs. E. L. Crowson, hostess.

Highland Club, home of Mrs. Bennett French on North Buchanan street.

Xenia B. T. W. Club, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. S. H. Kemp.

L. V. and S. R. Club, postponed all-day meeting at home of Mrs. John Sexson; reed work.

Jolly Mixers Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Sanford Kaufman.

Elkhorn Community Club meets with Mrs. Henry Smock.

Knabb Country Club, afternoon meeting at home of Mrs. Presley Bailey.

Thursday

Woman's Missionary Society of Presbyterian Church, January meeting at home of Mrs. George R. Murray, corner Seventh and Mulberry streets; assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Neff, Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Snider.

Mt. Pleasant Industrial Art Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Irvin Neal.

L. I. Club meets with Mrs. Burke; Valta Ringgold program leader.

Olwell Willing Workers Club, oyster supper at Olwell school.

Skidmore Study Club, Mrs. Anna Duval hostess; each member permitted to bring guest.

Bloomdale Willing Workers Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Jim Carter.

Parnell M. M. Club meets with Mrs. E. C. Gooden; annual election of officers.

Bloomfield Needlework Club, home of Mrs. Lee Birkenholz; roll call, Bible verses.

L. A. W. Club of Myrtle Tree neighborhood, Mrs. J. H. Neal hostess; roll call, current events.

I. F. A. Club, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Ira Mozingo.

B. B. Club of Scudder district, all-day meeting at home of Mrs. Walter Brown.

Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club meets with Mrs. Dale Wiley; afternoon meeting.

Thursday Afternoon Progressive Club, Mrs. Harry Clayton, hostess.

Friday

Woman's Home Missionary Society of First Methodist Church, home of Mrs. H. E. Wright on South Main street; Mrs. G. P. Wright, Mrs. E. F. Wolfert, Mrs. C. F. Remus and Mrs. J. W. Shroyer assisting hostesses; Mrs. C. C. James will be program leader.

Jolly Farmers Club will be entertained at home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones.

Saturday

M. V. Club meets with Mrs. Emery Nicholson.

Twentieth Century Club Luncheon.

The members of the Twentieth Century Club will give a luncheon Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the dining room of the First Methodist Church. This is the first of a series of similar affairs planned by the club for this year.

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the music and literature department of the Twentieth Century Club, to have been held Wednesday afternoon, has been postponed until 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, Feb. 1. The program will be presented at the First Baptist Church instead of the College auditorium, where all sessions are held. All present and former members of the Twentieth Century Club are invited, and each member is permitted to bring an additional guest.

St. Clair Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. St. Clair were hosts at a dinner yesterday at their home on South Buchanan street. Places were arranged for the Rev. and Mrs. Guy L. Prather and daughters, Charlotte and Elizabeth, Miss Olive Woodward of Tarkio, a sister of Mrs. St. Clair, who spent the week end here, and the hosts and daughter, Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair had as their dinner guests Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ziegler and Frank M. Liddle of St. Louis, state boys' work secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Social Meeting.

Members of Chapter L. P. E. O., held a social meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. B. Roseberry on East Seventh street. Somerset was played at five tables, the favor for high score going to Mrs. F. P. Reuillard. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. F. R. Marcell and Miss Estelle Bowman assisting the hostess. Twenty-five members were in attendance. The members and the B. I. L's will be entertained at a Valentine party Feb. 13 at the home of Mrs. Arch Frank. The other hostesses will be Mrs. G. B. Roseberry, Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, Mrs. J. W. Hake, Mrs. C. C. Corwin, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. Roy Lippman, Miss Estelle Bowman, Miss Mae Anthony, Miss Fannie Hope and Miss Carrie Hopkins.

Annual Club Supper.

About fifty members and guests attended the annual club supper of the B. B. Club of the Scudder district at the home of Mrs. Albert Carr Saturday night. A short program consisting of music, recitations and a one-act play followed the supper. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hull, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kingery, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Russell, Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray and son, Curtis Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Skidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherlock and baby daughter, Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. Nettie Warren, Mrs. Marion Ripley, Miss Nellie Cox, Peter, Esther and Rebecca Russell, Roberta, Mildred, DeLoris and Donald King, Anna Stafford, Veda and Esther Hull, Hazel and Virginia Lee Moody, Billy and Jerry Anderson, Roy, Ernest and Elaine Neal, Fred Wyatt, Trevis Wyatt, Charley Henderson, Dr. Roy Canon, William Mathers, and Marilyn Morgan.

Junior Missionary Society.

The junior missionary society of the M. E. Church, South, will meet at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the social service rooms.

Experiment

A janitor, by mistake, married Mrs. Elise D Sears to Juan Felix Brandes, both of San Francisco. So the wedding wasn't legal. They remarried, but a few days later Brandes got an annulment on the ground that Mrs Sears considered him only as an 'experimental' husband.

Rockford Community Club.

Members of the Rockford Community Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Parker. Roll call will be answered by program suggestions for the ensuing year and a penalty will be imposed on members failing to respond. Members are requested to bring a salad recipe.

Ziegler Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ziegler were hosts at a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday, entertaining as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Will, who have returned to Maryville for a residence.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brody of Wilcox entertained with a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday when their guests included Mrs. Willard Friend, her daughter, Bonnie, and son, Dean, Mrs. Quecte McAfee and son, J. W., and Howard Spangler of Braddyville, Ia., and Ludene Friend.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cummings were hosts at a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday at their new home on West Second street. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Onstott and sons, James Melvin and Perry Otis, and Miss Lois Cummings.

Birthday Dinner.

In observance of the fourteenth birthday of their grandson, J. Vernon Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor were hosts at a dinner yesterday at their home, northwest of Maryville. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte and son, Ernest Benjamin, Mrs. Mayme Taylor and children, J. Vernon and Vivian, Miss Mary Taylor, and the hosts.

Lawson Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lawson of Ravenwood gave a 1 o'clock dinner yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Comer of Ravenwood, Miss Eva Vaughn Lawson of Maryville and Hulbert Lawson.

Adams Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Adams, living south of Wilcox, had as their dinner guests yesterday Sam Webb and daughter, Jennie, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ballenger and children, Mildred and Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mitchell and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Duncan, Miss Jennie Duncan, and Leroy Adams.

Thousands Pay Homage to Beloved Cardinal

Messages Of Condolence Received From All Parts Of World—To Ask National Funeral.

Brussels, Jan. 25.—Thousands of criminals from the remotest parts of Belgium were massed before the archbishop's palace in Malines today waiting for the opening of the gates to admit them for a last view of their beloved Cardinal Mercier, whose body lies in state in the palace chamber. Special trains were hourly bringing bands of pilgrims.

Meanwhile, the archbishopric was inundated with messages of condolence from all parts of the world. Among them were messages from Secretary of State Kellogg and the New York Bankers Association.

It is understood the government has asked parliament to request a national funeral at Brussels instead of Malines.

W. H. Crouch, Former Bethany Editor, Dies

Bethany, Mo., Jan. 25.—W. H. Crouch, 70 years old, a life long resident of Bethany, died here at 4:45 Saturday afternoon. His death was due to heart failure. He had been ill for some time. Mr. Crouch was for 10 years editor of the Bethany Republican, prior to selling the newspaper to his son, Ben, a few years ago. He is survived by his widow; a son, Ben, and two daughters, Mrs. Leah Albright of Kansas City and Mrs. Nora Wheeler of King City. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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Fancy Ben Davis, per peck .....60c; bushel $2.25

48c Sale

OATS
2 large pkgs. Frontier Quick or regular 48c

CRACKERS
Iten's salted, 3 lb caddy 48c

BEANS
6 lb navy beans 48c
6 lb Mexican pinto 48c
6 lb Idaho Beans 48c

CANNED BEANS
6 Crest Brand 48c
6 No. 1 Van Camp 48c
4 No. 2 Van Camp 48c
2 No. 3 Van Camp 48c
6 No. 2 red Beans 48c

SUGAR
Fine granulated, 8 lbs..48c

SYRUP
1 No. 10 Golden 48c
2 16 oz. cane sugar and maple syrup 48c

SOAP
13 Field's White Naptha 48c
12 P & G Soap 48c
7 bars any kind Toilet Soap 48c

COOKIES
3 lbs sugar coated 48c

BANANAS
4 lbs ripe fruit 48c

TOBACCO
4 cuts Horse Shoe 48c
4 cuts Star 48c
4 cuts Tinsley 48c
4 cuts Climax 48c
4 tins Prince Albert 48c
4 tins Velvet 48c

LARD
2½ lbs Morrell's Best...48c

BACON
1½ lbs Morrell's sugar cured 48c

KRAUT
4 No. 3 cans solid packed 48c

TOMATOES
4 No. 3 Tomatoes 48c
5 No. 2 Tomatoes 48c

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by the lb
20c

CRAB MEAT
Japanese, No. 1 flat tins
55c
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55c

PINE APPLE
100 dozen Turtle Brand No. 2½ size sliced & in syrup 30c
No. 1 tall sliced..20c
No. 1 tall grated 20c

COFFEE
Butter Nut, the coffee delicious—
1 lb tins 60c
3 lb tins $1.75
10lb cream pails $5.75

PORK STEAK
by the lb
27c
PORK SHOULDERS
Whole by the lb
20c

KAMO OATMEAL
Plain or 3 minute—
large package 20c
Small package ...10c
Post Wheat Meal package 25c

CANNED PEAS
No. 2 size
Wisconsin variety 15c
Turtle Brand Early June... 20c
Kamo Midget 30c
Kamo Petit Pois Peas 35c

Breakfast Bacon
Machine sliced, lb
45c
Wafer sliced dried beef, by the lb
60c

CANNED TOMATOES
Hand packed—
No. 1 tall 10c
No. 2 .....15c
No. 2½ 20c

Sun Sweet Prunes, 2 lb carton.....35c
50, 60 size prunes, lb 15c
Dried Apricots, lb 25c
Dried Peaches, lb 25c
Cooking Figs, lb..15c

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Daintie in brick form may be sliced or spread—12 oz. pkg
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1 lb glass jars
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Extra Selects, pints 45c
Boneless Codfish, 1 lb carton....35c
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$2.00 Union Suits $1.35
$1.50 Union Suits 95c

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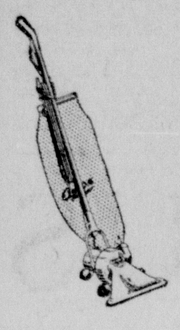

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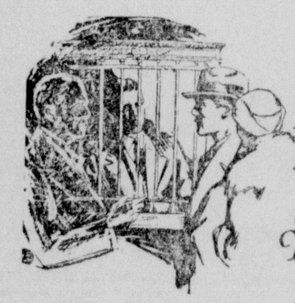

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Personals

Miss Lillian James returned to St. Joseph yesterday and her brother, Byron C. James of Columbia left last night after a week-end visit at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James.

Parent-Teacher Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Graham Parent-Teacher Association, to have been held tomorrow night, has been postponed for one week.

Miss Dale Skinner went to Omaha yesterday to spend a week with relatives and friends.

14 Above This Morning.

The temperature this morning was fourteen degrees above zero, according to J. R. Brink, official weather observer. The mercury yesterday morning stood at nineteen above zero, Mr. Brink said.

Philip Robert Simpich.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip R. Simpich, 503 East First street, announce the birth of a son at St. Francis Hospital today to whom they have given the name Philip Robert. Mr. Simpich is abstractor for the Farmers Trust Company.

Chiropractor Charged with Murdering Girl

Philadelphia Doctor Confesses To Dismembering Body But Contends Woman Committed Suicide.

Media, Pa., Jan. 25.—Dr. David R. Marshall, 42, chiropractor, was formally charged with the murder of Miss Anna Mae Dietrich, 34, today after he confessed dismembering her body in his office in Philadelphia and later disposing of it.

The chiropractor contends he did not kill Miss Dietrich but said she committed suicide by swallowing poison while he was out of the office. He said she told of a love affair with a New York man shortly before he left her. He said he dismembered her body because he feared the responsibility.

Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County, beginning Jan. 16:

G. E. Mariner to Fred Gillespie, lots 5, 6, 7, block 14, Burlington Junction, $1.

F. A. Breit to C. E. Campbell, S½ lot 7, Rose Hill cemetery, $7.50.

J. P. Wheat to J. P. Cummings and wife, part lot 4, block 4, Robinson's 2nd add Maryville, $4,500.

Glenn Smith to C. W. Hall and wife, N 2-3 lot 7 Yeaman's add Maryville, $750.

G. F. Davis to F. E. Boring, W½ SE part W½ NE 36-64-35, $15,000.

Richard Kuchs to Masonic Building Ass'n., part lots 3 and 4, block 9, Maryville, $27,000.

G. B. Baker to E. E. Williams, part lots 3 and 4, block 4, Maryville, $1.

G. B. Tate to same, part lots 3 and 4, block 4, Maryville, $1.

L. Blanchard to A. & K. Glines part SE SE 24-63-37, $1,300.

A. A. Hinton to et. al. to B. F. Poor, int. in E½, NE 6-64-33, $2,666.66.

M. E. Hamblin to L. Hankins, et. al., lots 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, block 29, Burlington Junction, $1.

W. H. Cutter to S. Pope and wife, NE NE 27-63-35, $4,000.

A. G. Craig to et. al to M. I. Woods, block 31, Charles 2d add to Maryville, $2,250.

Alexander & Glover to F. C. Wallis, S½ lots 5 and 6, block 11, SE Maryville, $1.

J. R. Lowry to E. W. Heideman f wife, S½ lots 1 and 2, block 1, Roseberry add Maryville, $1.

A. A. Bledsoe to Warnick & Hunter, W½ NW SE 23-62-34, $2.

C. S. Warnick to H. Hutson, ½ int. in W½ NW SE 23-62-34, $750.

H. Hutson to C. S. Warnick, ½ int. in N½ of W½ NW SE 23-62-34, $750.

What Jerry Says

The melancholy days have come,
The saddest of the year,
When husbands of these summer brides
Are back to earth I hear.

He's tried out all the dishes,
His wife has tried to plan,
And she has found her darling,
Is just a common man.

As full of imperfections,
As a cur dog is of fleas,
And he has found his sugar-lump,
Is mighty hard to please.

The mist of love before our eyes,
Blinds us to faults they say,
But we know each other better,
When the mist is cleared away.

Now both are just as human,
As they were six months ago,
But both have learned a few things,
That before they didn't know.

If we expect perfection,
In ouh husbands or our wives,
We've another guess a comin',
We'll be guessing all our lives.

SHE DEFENDS MODERN GIRL

NEITHER DISSOLUTE OR WEAK-WILLED SAYS GIRL SCOUT.

HONEST AND FEARLESS

"Superior To Girl Of Any Other Age," Miss Jane Deeter Rippin Believes —Commends Dress.

By JOHN MONTGOMERY
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

Washington, Jan. 25.—The modern girl is neither dissolute nor weak-minded, but instead, she is honest, fearless and quick-witted, thoroughly able to take care of herself and most dependable, in the belief of Jane Deeter, national director of the girl scouts, an observer of two generations and a sociologist of repute.

"I have the utmost admiration for the young girl of today. I believe that by race progression and not by reaction, she is superior to the girl of any other age," Miss Rippin said today.

"The modern girl is frank, courageous adn physically fit. She will make a better wife and mother than girls of past generations. Furthermore, because she is more tolerant, she is kindlier and more sympathetic."

Miss Rippin fails to share in the movement of club-women to retard the freedom of the modern girl.

"Perhaps we have lost some of the grace and charm of a past age," she said, "but we have gained something finer and stronger in the transaction.

"I would rather see a girl, rosy-cheeked and courageous walking across a ball room with a slight gawkiness, than see a girl who can bow gracefully and is weak physically and mentally. But if these girls of today have lost any charm they will regain it in time, I am sure of that."

Miss Rippin spoke with admiration of girls who could beat their way across the nation on freight trains.

"No other generation of girls could do that. It takes a huge amount of bravery. I know I couldn't do it now and I think I never did have enough courage to make such an adventure."

Lodge at Hopkins Installs Officers

Mrs. Nettie Warren of Maryville In Charge of Ceremonies—Gifts To Officers.

Officers for the ensuing year were installed at the regular meeting of Olive Camp No. 2147, R. N. of A., at Hopkins Thursday night. Mrs. Nettie Warren of Maryville was the installing officer and Mollie Hanna was ceremonial marshal.

The following officers were installed: Oracle, Glenna Hanna; vice-oracle, Leah C. Overmier; past oracle, Bertha Jeffers; chancellor, Castilla Akin; recorder, Minnie Wood; receiver, Ollie McBeth; marshal, Daisy Black; assistant marshal, Emma Corwin; inner sentinel, Cynthia King; outer sentinel, Della Wetherly; manager, Edith Warren; musician, Nettie Orme.

Graces appointed and installed were: Faith, Ruth Mathers; Courage, Nellie Orme; Modesty, Gertrude Webb; Unselfishness, Mollie Hanna; Endurance, Edna Florea; flag bearer, Edith Warren.

At the close of installation Mrs. Overmier in behalf of Olive Camp presented Glenna Hanna, oracle, with a serving tray and Mrs. Bertha Jeffers, past oracle, a mayonnaise set. The installing officers were presented a bouquet of carnations. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

John Todd of Burnside, Ill., left today for his home after a week-end visit with his brother, Dr. J. H. Todd. Dr. Todd's condition was not so favorable today.

AUNT HET

"It was a right good show, but the heroine never did turn around so I could see how her dress was made in the back."

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Around Our Town

Everybody knows Tom Brewer. He's one of the old-timers around our town. His experiences would fill several volumes, and they would make interesting reading. Boy, howdy! I'll say they would.

It has been told of Tom, that once he was on a steamboat in which there was an explosion. Those who tell the tale say that passengers and everything were thrown 100 feet in the air, and that on the way down Tom asked a fellow traveler for a chew of tobacco.

But there are also experiences which Tom relates on himself, which probably have more of an element of truth than the above.

For instance:

"I'll never forget my first visit to a city. Along in the latter days of February, 1871, I went through St. Louis on my way to Belleville, Ill. I had about an hour to kill, so I checked my valise at th' dee-po and started up th' street.

"Says I to myself that I wouldn't get lost if I kept goin' th' same way on th' same street. So, off I started.

"Bime-by I came to a furrier's store and, says I, 'I'll just drop in and see what skins are bringing.' But the shop wasn't open yet, so I started to leave th' door, when I happened to look up in the' air and see a man hangin' by a rope.

"Say's I, 'That feller's hung himself.' But he hadn't, as I afterward noticed. He was a-paintin' and was hangin' by some contraption.

"Pretty soon I heard a low, menacin' growl behind me, and I turned around, and there, with arms stretched out and eyes a-blazin,' stood the biggest grizzly bear that ever was.

"I hollered an' jumped, and when I lit I was ten feet away, but that was too close. So I started runnin'.

"As I turned the corner, I looked back and there was th' proprietor of th' fur store, a-laughin' and a-jumpin', —and it was a good joke I guess, cause th' bear was stuffed, but he shore looked powerful live and vicious."

They say that "Beaney" Martin is quite a salesman. A particular friend of his tells the following concerning him:

"A woman went in the store to buy a pair of gloves. Martin showed her a pair.

"'Are you sure these are the latest thing?' she inquired.

"'Oh, yes maam, we got them in just yesterday.'

"'Well, I read in a fashion magazine that black gloves would have tan stitches and vice versa. I see the tan stitches, but I don't see the vice versa.'

"Then "Beaney" explained that vice versa meant seven buttons and she bought three pairs."

Persons living near the Wabash depot today told of an incident which happened early this week. A freight train was coming down the track and an airedale dog was in fornt of it. The engineer slowed down his train and tooted his whistle vehemently. It was some moments before the dog chose to quit running in front of the engine.

We usually expect the unexpected to happen; so it is not unexpected.

Some think it is bad taste to eat onions; others think it is bad smell.

The Lagrange, special road district, Lewis county, filed a writ of mandamus against the State Highway Commission in Jefferson City Tuesday to secure the interpretation of the new highway law.

The city council of Chillicothe has refused a petition to add a new ward to the city. The suggestion was that a district on the outer edge of town, known as Gravesville, be admitted.

St. Joseph has petitioned for clean streets. The petition sets forth that the city needs clean streets and that many need employment. The condition can be remedied, it is suggested, by letting the unemployed get to work.

Becky Thatcher Tells of Twain's Childhood

Adored Heroine of "Tom Sawyer" to Speak Over Radio From WOS Thursday.

Hannibal, Mo., Jan. 25 (United Press).—Becky Thatcher, adored heroine of Mark Twain's "Tom Sawyer," will personally tell the world about the childhood exploits of the famous author which led to the writing of Huch and Tom.

Mrs. Laura Frazier, 88, who is the Becky Thatcher of the book, will speak over the radio here Thursday. She is the only one of the characters in "Tom Sawyer" still living.

The Hannibal chamber of commerce has arranged for Mrs. Frazier to speak over the radio Thursday through station WOS, Jefferson City, Mo.

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BRITAIN SEES A GOOD YEAR

BIG TRADE REVIVAL IS EXPECTED IN 1926.

LEADERS UNDAUNTED

Unemployment, High Taxes and Serious Coal Situation Fail to Discourage Them.

BY H. K. REYNOLDS,
International News Service Staff Correspondent
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London, Jan. 25.—This is to be the year of England's trade revival.

Such, at least, is the hope of the country's industrial leaders and this despite the discouragements presented by:

(1) An unemployment roll of more than a million persons,

(2) Stagnation in the coal industry with resulting depression in manufacturing and shipping, and

(3) High taxation without immediate signs of substantial relief.

It was not a pretty picture which confronted British industry at the beginning of the year, but confidence nevertheless prevails that a steady upward trend is in sight, while no attempt is made by business chiefs to minimize the difficulties that lie ahead if British trade is to regain its old supremacy.

Coal is Key.

In some quarters the belief is held that in the coal situation lies the key to all of Britain's industrial problems. Peace now reigns between the coal operators and the miners, but it is a peace that has cost the taxpayers many millions of dollars in cold cash, and which is scheduled to terminate on March 31, the date set for the withdrawal of the Government subsidy. What will happen after that is a matter for speculation only.

A Royal Commission, now conducting an inquiry, is hopeful of finding a basis for permanent peace in the industry without the subsidy. It is considered unlikely that its recommendations will meet with the instant approval of both factions, with the result that a great strike and complete stoppage of coal mining is altogether possible. The widespread industrial unrest, which would naturally follow, would precipitate a crisis as grave as any with which the nation has had to contend since the war.

Shipyards Idle.

The high price of coal as a consequence of the unnatural maintenance of the industry has affected both the shipping and railway industries. More than one-third of England's shipyard workers are idle, while both the railroad and the shipping interests have suffered from the loss of freights due to the inability of the mine-owners to sell their high-priced coal overseas.

Railroad directors have worked out plans for improvements during the present year which will give work to thousands of unemployed, and the iron and steel industry feels that its worst troubles are over, but among shipbuilders there is still an inclination to regard the outlook with pessimism.

Depression Has Grown.

"The depression," declared Sir Alexander Kennedy, head of one of England's leading shipbuilding companies, "has steadily grown deeper, and, while it is true that a few contracts have been recently secured, there is still no real prospect of better times immediately ahead."

On the other hand, John Denholm, President of the Chamber of Shipping, believes that the bottom of depression has been reached.

"Except in the event of serious industrial strife or political upheavals," he said, "we may begin to look for improvement. There are signs of a trade revival in a number of countries, and, with the prospect since Locarno of a better feeling in European relations, we may hope for the return of that confidence which is a necessary condition of all prosperity."

Grounds for Optimism.

Colonel the Hon. Vernon Willey, president of the Federation of British Industries, thinks there is grounds for reasonable optimism.

"Given the spirit of optimism," he said, "much can be done, and pessimism is not only useless, but definitely harmful. There are many difficulties to be overcome, but with a knowledge that the position is improving, and that many of the most serious obstacles are behind us."

G. Cheesman, secretary of the National Union of Manufacturers, is looking to the United States to help England's trade revival.

"We are going to be relieved," he said, "through rubber, of some of our debt to America, which is almost crushing us at the moment, and this will help a great deal as industry is very short of loose capital, and far too much money is taken by taxation."

Outlook Is Excellent.

Sir Hugo Hirst of the General Electric Company described the outlook in the electrical industry as "excellent," while Sir George Beharrel of the Dunlop Rubber Company suggested the adoption of the "spirit of Locarno" by British industry as a basis for the growth of exports. A note of pessimism was sounded by Sir Peter Rylands of the Federation of British Industries, who said it was difficult to detect encouraging signs for "unsheltered industries."

Freedom of trade, retrenchment in every direction and disarmament are recommended by Sir Charles W. Macara, the Manchester cotton manufacturer, to help England's industrial revival.

Durkin's Wife Meets Betty, the "Other Woman"

Here is the first photograph of Irma Sullivan Durkin, 18-year-old bride of Martin Durkin, Chicago gunman. She is at the right, and the picture was taken after she reached Chicago and learned, not only that Durkin was a murderer, but that he had another sweetheart. The "other sweethears," Betty Werner, who once helped Durkin escape imprisonment in California, but who now threatens to tell police all she knows about him in reprisal for his marriage to Irma, is at the left. When she and Durkin met, after his arrest, Durkin asked her: "So they've made you bitter against me, have they?" She answered, "You did it yourself," and turned away. Inset is a picture of Durkin at the Chicago district attorney's office.

Anyway, They Won't Hear as Much Gossip

Human Ear Is Shrinking, Scientist Believes—Says Wisdom Tooth Is Also Passing.

Baltimore, Jan. 25.—Tendency of the human ear to become smaller, except the lobe, which remains as a kind provision of nature "to give woman something to hang ornaments on," was cited among other things by Dr. Adolph H. Schultz as demonstrating in his opinion the present day working of evolution. Decreasing number of small bones in the little toe and the passing of the wisdom tooth are others.

Dr. Schultz is associate in anthropology in Johns Hopkins medical school and is widely known for his research concerning the bodily structure of man as compared with the primates.

"Man Not So Perfect."

For the edification of man—and woman, too—who is prone to believe that he is perhaps a perfect specimen, Dr. Schultz enumerated the following as not certainly but quite likely to be wrong with him:

His eyes are not in the some horizontal plane.

His ears are not the same size.

His mouth is bigger on one side, and the sides are not on the same level.

His right arm is longer than his left.

One foot is larger than the other.

His collar bone is not symmetrical.

"In the past the tendency was for the human ear to continue to grow after birth and increase in size in proportion to the body," Dr. Schultz said. "Now we find the tendency is to decrease in size in proportion to the body. Strangely enough, the lobe of the ear is not decreasing."

Orang-Utan Also Progresses.

Bones are decreasing in the little toe, while in highly civilized races the wisdom tooth now in many cases has only one root, he continued, while in the primitive races it still has three.

"Man, however, is not the only one of the higher animals to show a difference from the primitive ancestor," Dr. Schultz said. "The ears of the orang-utan, for instance, are small and its big toe is only a stump of what it once was. Of course its mental powers do not compare with those of man, but the orang-utan probably has made as much progress away from the original ancestor as man has."

Farm Talks to Be Given Over Radio

Two series of lectures now being broadcast by members of the staff of the Missouri College of Agriculture, from station KFRU, Stephens College, will be completed during the next two weeks. These are the series on Poultry Raisings and the series on Agricultural Economics. These talks will be broadcast at 7 o'clock in the evening on the dates listed and are designed to supply information which the farmer and his family can use very profitably. Station KFRU broadcasts at 499.7 meters. The talks completing the two series mentioned are as follows:

Jan. 26—"Feeding Baby Chicks," by H. L. Kempster, head of the poultry husbandry department.

Jan. 29—"Possibilities and Limitations of Cooperative Marketing," by Harry C. Hensley, extension specialist in agricultural economics.

Feb. 2—"The Essentials of Chick Raising," by Mr. Kempster.

Feb. 5—"Measures of Efficiency in Farming," by B. H. Frame, instructor in farm accounting.

Few to Be Represented at Philadelphia Event

Forty-Two Nations Directly Decline or Fail to Act on Invitations From United States

Washington, Jan. 25.—Forty-two nations have directly declined or failed to act on invitations from this government to be represented at the International Sesquicentennial Exposition, which will open at Philadelphia on June 1 in celebration of the 150th anniversary of the signing of the declaration of independence.

At the state department it was learned that Great Britain and eight other governments have declined the invitations sent out by President Coolidge last summer. The other declarations are from Mexico, Switzerland, Siam, Costa Rica, Holland, Latvia, Poland and Brazil, the two latter it is understood have originally accepted.

Only nine governments have accepted. These are Haiti, Panama, Nicaragua, Liberia, Japan, Hungary, Jugo Slavia, Spain and Argentina.

Officials refused to comment today on the fact that only one or two major nations will participate.

Secretary of state Kellogg and secretary of commerce Hoover are members, together with representatives of governors, of the national committee on the sesquecentennial for which Congress last March appropriated $25,000.

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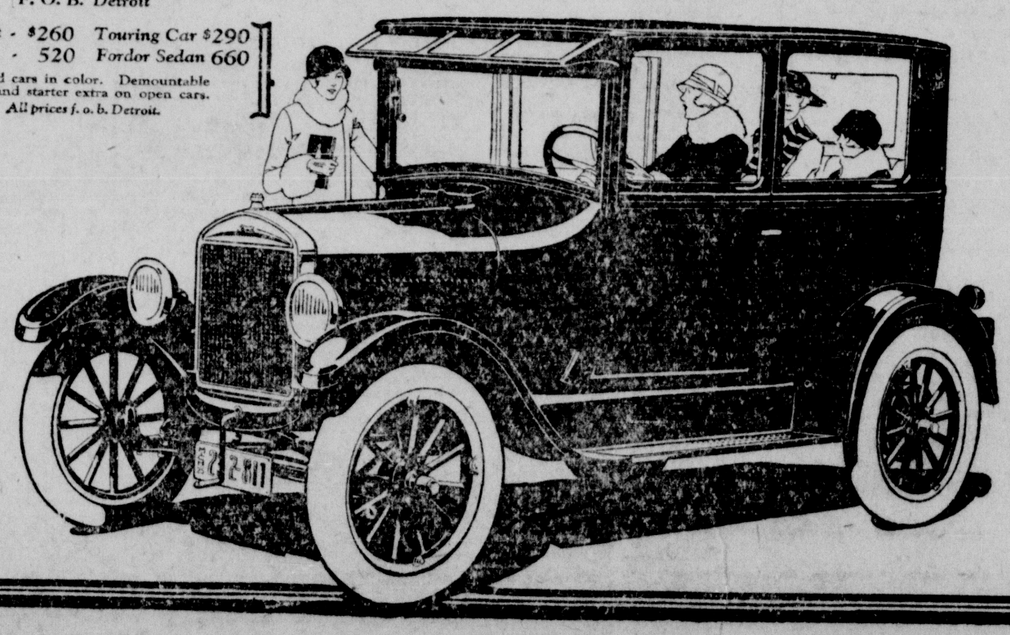

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In its campaign for Careful Driving within its own organization, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has presented the problem in the form of an appeal to its drivers, using the age-old, golden rule, as the theme.

It has said: "If you expect other people to drive carefully when those who are near and dear to you are crossing the streets, do your part, by having your car under absolute control at all times.

"Pedestrians crossing the streets may stop directly in front of your car. Remember at all times that a human life cannot be restored and having had the right-of-way is no consolation in the event of a tragic contingency."

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has pointed out to its men that it is unsafe to turn corners faster than six miles per hour. It may seem slow, but it is safe. At this rate of speed you are prepared to stop if someone's little child is playing in the street just around the corner.

They are told never to take an unnecessary chance in crossing street car or railroad tracks at a speed faster than six miles per hour.

It is true that all Standard Oil Company (Indiana) vehicles come to a stop at railroad crossings, but even then they proceed with extreme caution.

Nowadays, with our city streets and highways alive with automobiles, it is dangerous to dodge around other cars, and it is inviting an accident to follow the preceding vehicle too closely. Always give an erratic driver a wide berth.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has made these suggestions persistently and with consistent frequency. In addition it has made it mandatory on all drivers of Company vehicles to observe all local traffic laws.

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COUNTY JAILS BREED CRIME

AMERICAN PRISON ASSOCIATION MAKES CHARGE.

INVESTIGATION ASKED

Judges of U. S. District Courts Are Urged to Probe Housing of Federal Prisoners.

New York, Jan. 25.—(United Press)—Judges of the 130 United States district courts were urged to institute grand jury investigations of conditions under which federal prisoners are jailed in an appeal made public here today by the American Prison Association.

Dr. Hastings H. Hart, Chairman of the Committee on Jails of the American Prison Association and Consultant in Penology for the Russell Sage Foundation wrote each judge individually enclosing the recent report of his committee to support the appeal for sweeping investigations.

The report revealed that the federal government with no jails of its own and with approximately 60,000 prisoners on its hands each year has been farming out these prisoners, including thousands of unconvicted men and women simply awaiting trial, to city, county, and state jails, many of which the committee reports "unfit for human habitation."

"The county jail today is unquestionably a prolific source of crime," said Dr. Hart's letter to the federal judges, "and federal prisoners in common with others suffer from its destructive influence."

The report itself referred to county jails as "breeding places and schools of crime." It cited jails in which prisoners are "herded like hogs in a stockyard," and others "crowded to the point of suffocation." Even in the largest jails in New York City, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Chicago and Denver, the report said there is no adequate provision for segregation of prisoners, with the result that prisoners inexperienced in crime, committed to prison for the first time, including those awaiting trial, detained as witnesses, or imprisoned for failure to pay a fine, are forced into intimate association with veteran criminals and other prisoners of the vilest character.

Bad sanitation, indiscriminate mixing of prisoners, enforced idleness, lack of any federal control over government prisoners housed in city, state, or county jails, and the practice of paying a per diem rate for feeding prisoners so that the income of the sheriff, the support of his family and the education of his children depend upon the amount that he can save out of the allowance for feeding prisoners are some of the evils described in the report of the Prison Association's Committee on Jails.

The letter to Federal Judges called their special attention to the following recommendations of the committee:

That the federal government should at this time give careful consideration to the establishment of a jail system of its own, each one to cover districts where the number of federal prisoners is large or where the local jail accommodations are inadequate, beginning with the borders of Canada and Mexico.

That in connection with our federal penal systems there be established a training school for prison officers similar to that maintained by the British government in which both preliminary and advanced training be provided.

Talk of Candidates for Congress Heard

DuVal Smith and Dr. J. C. Whitsell Mentioned for Democratic Nomination—Faust to Run Again.

While the St. Joseph city campaign will hold the political stage for the next ten or twelve weeks, the early talk of municipal candidates has caused a few rumblings to be heard concerning the congressional race and county offices according to the St. Joseph Gazette.

DuVal Smith, prosecuting attorney and Dr. J. C. Whitsell, former mayor and president of the Jefferson Democratic club, are both aspirants for the congressional job, it is claimed. Neither of the two has made formal declaration, but it is claimed they are trimming their sails for the congressional regatta.

There is no precedent to the number of times a member of congress may hold office, and it is presumed that on the Republican side Congressman Charles L. Faust will have the field to himself. Having been elected to the place three times sets a record for a Republican in the Fourth district and the Republicans are solidly united behind the congressman, it is said.

She's Holding a $5000 Book

Miss Ruth Kraner of Cincinnati is holding a book that cost $5000—a copy of Tennyson's "Holy Grail," owned by John G. Kidd, finished in a French Levant binding, with a hand-carved and embossed cover that is set with 26 precious stones. All the pages in the book are hand-lettered.

The Church You Sing About

Remember the old song about "The Little Brown Church in the Dale"? Well, this is it—the 70-year-old church at Bradford, Ia., about which the song was written. Inset shows the pastor, Rev. George Hanna. The church has lately become popular as a place for elopers to be married.

Senate Votes Cloture Rule

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"I have no company except my associates here," said Reed. "I introduced a resolution to determine who is responsible for this propaganda on both sides and the Senator (Robinson) voted against it."

Reed Attempts Delay.

With the cloture adopted, Senator Thomas J. Walsh, Democrat of Montana, one of the chief advocates of the court, took the floor to begin his "hour of debate."

A great disorder prevailed in the galleries and on the floor. With Walsh barely started, Senator Reed, Democrat of Missouri, moved that the Senate adjourn, apparently starting a series of heckling maneuvers on the part of the irreconcilables, who were badly disappointed by the last-minute desertions.

As only a handful of Senators were on the floor, Walsh demanded a quorum call. The Senators trooped into the chamber, answered their names, and trooped out again. Reed then withdrew his motion but immediately called for another quorum call.

Again the Senators trooped in and out.

"I thought we might as well adjourn formally as informally," Reed told his colleagues.

Mrs. Wilson left the Senate chamber immediately after the vote.

Motion To Adjourn Loses.

Reading of the protocol was started by a clerk when Reed again moved to adjourn. The motion was defeated seventy-two to nine.

The court leaders, it was learned, were determined to force a final vote on the court by Wednesday. They drew to their side a dozen Senators who had voted against cloture but were friendly to the court with proper reservations.

The adjournment vote indicated they could command sufficient strength.

Reed varied his program delay when Senator Lenroot, Republican of Wisconsin, made a point of order against the Missourian's third motion to adjourn.

MT. VERNON.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mitchell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Seneca Van Ausdall and family and Sam Webb and daughter, Jennie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mitchell and family.

Mrs. Serenus Jonson had her tonsils removed last Friday. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aable and Josephine and Luther Jenson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huff and family.

Mrs. Frank Bickett and daughter Wanda Joy, spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson. George and Howard Patterson also spent Monday there and assisted them with their butchering.

James McGinness has been absent the past three days.

Miss Sarah Garrett has been spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Serenus Jenson and family.

We started an attendance contest Monday. The girls are ahead so far.

Read the Want Ads.

No Cold

Fever headache or grippe

Colds break in a day for the millions who use Hill's. Headache and fever stop. La Grippe is checked. All in a way so reliable that druggists guarantee results. Colds are too important to treat in lesser ways.

Be Sure It's HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE Price 30c

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Dreyers Return From Cleaners Convention

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dreyer and daughter, Mary Jo, returned last night from Kansas City where they attended the annual convention of the Association of Master Dyers and Cleaners.

According to Mr. Dryer, many innovations in the trade were brought forward at the meeting. One of the important ones of these was a method of taking perspiration spots from silk dresses without causing colors to run.

High School Debaters to Meet Tarkio Friday

The debating team of the Maryville High School will uphold the negative side of the child labor question against a team from the Tarkio High School at the high school auditorium Friday afternoon.

The local debaters are Miss Ruth Hammond and Ralph Graves.

Mrs. Chas. Lee Dies Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. Charles Lee, 60 years old, died at 11.45 o'clock Saturday night at her home between Blanchard, Ia., and Elmo after an illness of Bright's disease. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the North Grove Church conducted by the Rev. Mr. Campbell. Burial was in North Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Lee is survived by her husband and the following children: Mrs. Laura Britt, Elmo, and Mrs. Lucy King, Frank Wilbur and Elmer Lee, all of Blanchard.

Another Contest in Oratory Announced

Will Be Sponsored By Number Of Newspapers In United States As In Previous Years.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Plans for the third national oratorical contest and the first international competition of this kind, in which high school pupils will compete with ten minute orations on national subjects, were announced by Randolph Leigh, director.

A summer tour of Europe will be the prize for the seven American finalists, who will be determined after a series of elimination contests begining April 2, within each high school.

The prime object of this year's contest, which is sponsored by 28 newspapers, was announced as an increased effort in and respect for principles of government.

The international contest, in which the United States, France, England, Germany and Mexico, already have decided to enter competitors, will be conducted with a series of independently organized contests, the winners of which will come together in a number of meetings during the summer and autumn.

The contests are open to any pupil under 19 on February 1, who is attending any public, private or parochial high school. They will close with the winners in each country appearing here October 15.

Wills Return to Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Will returned to Maryville Saturday night from Trenton to make their future home. Mr. Will will resume his work as optician at the Kuehs Bros. store tomorrow.

Mrs. Myrtle Quinlin of Gilman City came yesterday to make her future home here. Her daughter, Margaret, is a student at the State Teachers College.

Fred Seckington of St. Joseph spent Sunday in Maryville.

Howard Garrett of Clearmont was a Maryville visitor today.

T. H. Thompson went to Amity today on business.

O. E. Bradley of Elmo was in Maryville today.

T. F. Burns of Sheridan spent today in Maryville.

St. Louis, Jan. 25.—Samuel D. Goldstein is suing his mother-in-law and father-in-law for $35,000, charging his wife's parents with turning his wife against him causing her to leave him after two years of wedded life.

Although Goldstein claims in his suit there was a pre-nuptial agreement that his wife should work in his store he says they chided him for it and that he went to see his wife at her parents home following the separation, the door was slammed in his face.

TELLS VALUE OF MEMBERS

PRESBYTERIAN MODERATOR SPEAKS AT ST. JOSEPH.

LOCAL PERSONS THERE

Dr. Charles R. Erdman Principal Speaker At St. Joseph Presbytery Meeting Held Saturday.

About three hundred persons attended the luncheon in the Crystal Room of the Hotel Robidoux in St. Joseph Saturday in honor of Dr. Charles R. Erdman, moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

Ten persons from the Maryville Presbyterian Church were in attendance. They were: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wells, Fred French, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Haggard, Miss Helen Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Uel W. Lamkin, Miss Mary Lewis, and the Rev. S. P. Allison. Illness and last minute interruptions cut the expected representation in half. The forty-three churches of Presbytery of St. Joseph were represented in the same manner.

Dr. Erdman is a member of the faculty of Princeton Theological Seminary and also pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Princeton, N. J. He is now touring the Middle West. St. Joseph Presbytery is the only place visited in Missouri outside of St. Louis and Kansas City. With Dr. Erdman was Dr. Dudley M. Clagett, former pastor of the Westminster Church of St. Joseph and now district secretary of the General Council of the Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Erdman spoke on the value of the men and women of the church in carrying forward the work of the church, and emphasized that without them the ministers could do nothing. He emphasized the fellowship and the power of 2,000,000 Presbyterians working together with sister churches for the wining of the world to Christ. In his address he took up each of the four great boards of the Presbyterian church and showed how important their work was for the nation and for the peace and progress of the world. He pointed out that the great budgets for the boards of the church which amount to $13,000,000 were called forth by the needs of the field, by the success of the work being done, and that in view of the financial resources of Presbyterians were well within reason. Figured out on the average per Presbyterian $13,000,000, he said, amounted to only two cents per Presbyterian per day. With this Dr. Erdman pointed out that conservatively estimated the amount available if Presbyterians tithed would be not less than $200,000,000, or almost four times the present annual expenditures for all purposes both local and benevolent.

Those who attended spoke enthusiastically of the fellowship and spirit of the gathering and complimented Dr. Erdman as being a most finished and pleasing speaker. Dr. Arthur J. McClurg, pastor of the Westminster Church of St. Joseph, presided.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative **Bromo Quinine** tablets

The tonic and laxative effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets will fortify the system against Grip, Influenza and other serious ills resulting from a Cold.

The box bears this signature

E. W. Grove

Price 30c.

None of Pittsburgh Murders Punished in the First Degree

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 25 (United Press.)—When a murder is committed in an American city, what happens next?

Statistic issued by the Pittsburgh police department for 1925 disclose the startling fact that although forty-six persons were slain during the year—not a single persons accused of the crimes was convicted of first degree murder.

Following the forty-six slayings, thirty-seven persons were arrested as alleged slayers. Second-degree verdicts were returned against six; two were found guilty of manslaughter and five were acquitted.

Coroner's juries declared that twelve slayings were justifiable homicides, and grand juries returned similar verdicts in three cases. There are ten murder trials still pending and five suspected slayers are still at large.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Workman were Miss Ruth Decker and Abbe Griffey.

NOTICE

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Maryville, Mo.

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Where we discussed methods of bettering our service to our customers.

We will have something SURPRISING to tell you soon.

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2 pkgs. American Beauty Spaghetti for 15c	2 lbs. bulk Cocoa 15c
Gallon extra crushed Pine Apple 90c	Gal. can Frontier Brand Apples 50c
Gal. can broken slice Pine Apple $1.00	Sour spiced Pickles, dozen 15c
Gal. can Bluefield Brand Black Raspberries $1.10	2½ size can Acropolis Brand sliced Pine Apple 35c
Gal. can Gateway Brand solid pack Apricots 65c	Quart can Richelieu Brand Long thread Kraut 20c
Quart can B B Brand Pumpkin 13c	No. 2½ size can Rose Dale Brand Pears 35c
2½ lbs. California Sweet Prunes 25c	Turnips, per lb. 5c
Mt. Ida Brand California Ripe Olives 15c	2 frames pure Honey 35c
Two 15 oz. packages Acropolis Brand Seedless Raisins 23c	Frontier Brand Mustard in glass tumbler 9c
Large bottle Richelieu Brand Catsup 25c	Pint glass jug Acropolis Brand pure apple cider Vinegar 13c
Pk. black Walnuts 35c	Large 20 oz. jar Grandma's Sweet Pickle 40c
100 lb. sack ground Rock Salt for stock 75c	6 lbs. Butter Milk Laying Mash for 25c

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

Dog license tags for 1926 now ready.

Owners or keepers of dogs are required under Ordinance No. 993 to pay a yearly license tax of $3.00 on dogs three months old or over. Also to restrain dogs from running at large during the night time.

Tax now past due.

W. O. GARRETT, Mayor and Mgr.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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17	34c	51c	68c
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All orders from outside of Maryville must be accompanied by cash.

For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address The Advertising Department, The Democrat-Forum and Tribune, Maryville, Missouri.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Funeral Directors 1

THE FUNCTION

that the funeral director performs is a delicate one—a service hard to render, yet absolutely necessary. He must be thoughtful and considerate, systematic and thorough—a silent but competent manager.

CUMMINS & WRAY FUNERAL SERVICE
Hanamo 152 Farmers 81

Monuments 2

Mark every grave

with a
MEMORIAL
MARYVILLE GRANITE WORKS
"We have no Agents."

Nursery Stock 4

WORTH-WHILE TREES and SHRUBS

Such as we offer are not to be compared with the "mailing sizes" of light weight stock sent out by big mail order houses. We furnish one of the best grades of sturdy, stocky, well-rooted fresh trees and shrubs and save you time and money.

Get our 1926 illustrated price folder, which is just out.

MURRAY NURSERIES,
George R. Murray, Prop.
Maryville, Missouri.

Personals 7

Get Ready For
INTERNATIONAL TEST WEEK
January 24-31
BUY YOUR RADIO
On Basis Of
"DOLLAR CORN"
E E. LLOYD RADIO SHOP
416 North Main

Professional 8

Dr. K. Sears

Deputy State Veterinary
Calls answered promptly day or night.
Hanamo 40-265 Farmers 97-97½

SPRING STYLES now await you. Suits from $32.50 up; and made to your measure.—Turner, the Tailor.

AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles for Sale 12

FOR SALE—1924 Chevrolet Coupe. Driven only 5,000 miles; 1922 Chevrolet Coupe. These Coupes are priced to sell.—Lanning Tire, Top, Paint and Varnish Co.

Automobiles for Sale 12

Bargains In

Used Cars

1921—Buick 5 passenger Touring.
1921—"Hup" Touring.
1923—Ford Coupe.
1923—Ford Touring.

RABORN McCOMB MOTOR CO.
Lowery Hardware Bldg.

Studebaker Sales and Service

Some Good
USED CAR VALUES

1923 Buick Sport Touring. Extra good condition.
1920 Buick-6 Touring.
ONE Buick-4 Touring.
1923 Ford Touring.

GEORGE MCMURRY
Buick Sales and Service.

Hudson Essex

1—1925 Ford Coupe.
1—1920 Dodge Touring.
1—1924 Durant. Good.
1—1924 Hudson Coach.
1—1924 Essex Touring.

HUDSON-CARLSON MOTOR CO.
Hudson Sales and Service
Kramer Garage

Dodge Brothers

DEPENDABLE USED CARS
1—1926 Dodge Special A Sedan
1—1920 Oakland Touring
1—1920 Ford Touring
1—1920 Buick-6 Touring.

ARNOLD STRONG MOTOR CO.
Dodge Brothers
Sales and Service

GUARANTEED
FORD USED CARS

1—1924 Tudor Sedan, Balloon tires.
2—1924 Coupes, Balloon tires.
2—1922 Coupes, cord tires.
1—1921 Coupe, cord tires.
1—1920 Coupe, cord tires.
1—1925 Touring, new tires.
2—1924 Tourings, good tires.
1—1923 Touring, new paint.
1—1925 Runabout, excellent mechanically.

BARMANN AUTO COMPANY
Maryville's Oldest Automobile Dealer.

OUTSTANDING
Used Car Values

1—1925 5-passenger Buick Touring.
1—1925 Ford Touring.
1—1924 Ford Touring.
2—1924 Ford Roadsters.
1—1922 Durant Touring.
1—1923 Chevrolet Touring.
3—good used Trucks.

SEWELL AUTO CO.
Willys Overland Fine Motor Cars
Maryville, Mo.

FOR SALE—or trade—Moline universal tractor, full line tools; No. 1 shape. Trade for truck or livestock. Ed Brunk, Arkoe.

FOR SALE—1925 Ford Coupe, balloon tires; 1925 Ford Touring; 1923 Ford Coupe.—Maryville Auto Wrecking Co.

BUSINESS SERVICE

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SCHOOL ROOM HEATING

You cannot install your furnace in a haphazard manner and expect to heat the room in an efficient manner. Our years of experience are at your service.

HEIDEMAN AND LEET
Furnace and Sheet Metal

Coal, Wood Etc. 20

Shoemaker-Bovard

Transfer, Storage, Coal and Sand.
WE SOLICIT YOUR INQUIRY.

Car Royalton Franklin County, Illinois, Lump Coal Just Arrived.

$8.75 to $9.00 per ton

No Soot or Clinkers. Burns to White Ash.

WM. EVERHART
Coal—Wood—Feed

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Male 27

SALESMAN WANTED—Must have an auto or driving rig. Need not be away from home nights. Opportunity for hard worker to establish business paying $200 and upward per month. Stetson Oil Co., Station E, Cleveland, O.

WANT ADS PAY

LIVESTOCK

Poultry and Supplies 33

WE ARE NOW booking orders for Baby Chicks. All heavy breeds, $14; Leghorns, $12. 100 per cent live delivery. One-half down, with all orders.—Groves Hatchery, Skidmore, Missouri, Phone Graham.

BUFF ORPHINGTON Hatching eggs; good winter layers. 90 to 95 per day. Mrs. Frank Hall, Farmers 5-14.

BABY CHICKS

Heavy breeds $14 per 100; Leghorns $12 per 100. Ten per cent discount on orders received before Feb. 1 for future delivery. Terms one half cash with order. Custom hatching.

Gray's Hatchery
402 East Sixth Street
Maryville, Missouri.

INCUBATORS

We would appreciate an opportunity to show you the points of superiority and interest in the Klondike and Buckeye Incubators.

RICHARDS & SON HDW.

Horses, Cattle, Swine 34

FOR SALE—or exchange, 1 pair broke 5-year-old horses and 2 spans mules. G. W. Alexander, Burlington Junction.

MERCHANDISE

Articles for Sale 37

Visit Our

Gift Shop

Department

RAINES & CHAVIS

THE BEST TREES—Stark Brothers. The best apples, Stark's Delicious and Stark's Golden Delicious.—Alex Holt, Agent.

FOR SALE—Some household goods not sold at sale.—Cora B. Templeton, 322 South Main.

FOR SALE—White blossom sweet clover seed, $5 per bushel.—Call L. D. Lynch, Farmers 070-22.

USED STOVES

Closing out the Remaining Stove Stock at
$5.00
EACH
CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE

FOR SALE—Good Clover and Timothy hay; some bailed, some loose; 800 bushels good seed oats.—Farmers 4-11.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

Farms and Lands for Rent 41

FOR RENT—160 acre farm, 2½ miles northeast Bolckow.—Wayne Hurst, Burlington Junction.

Houses for Rent 42

FOR RENT—6 room house, modern except heat. Possession January 1.—See Dr. K. C. Cummins.

FOR RENT—House, modern except heat; suitable for two families.—A. K. Frank.

FOR RENT—5-room new modern bungalow; possession March 1, $45.—Yeo Brothers.

FOR RENT—New house with garage; 5 rooms and bath. Oak floors. Possession March 1.—Hanamo 645 or 197.

FOR RENT—One 7 and one 5-room house; choice locations, well built and comfortable.—Fred Kurtz, Han. 649.

Wanted—To Rent 44

WANTED—To rent, 5 or 6 room house; want possession about March 1st.—Address 146, Democrat-Forum.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses for Sale 47

FOR SALE—or Rent, 6-room modern house, in good condition. On paved street; garage.—See J. D. Richey, Nodaway Valley Bank.

FOR SALE

Nearly new, all modern 8-room house on pavement; West Side. $6,500. Terms.

C. D. ALLEN
119 East 4th Street.

St. Louis, Jan. 25.—The old game of flashing revolvers making away with the loot and escaping in a waiting automobile did not work with Frank A. Berkel, grocer when two bandits attempted to hold him up in his store.

Berkel answered their command to "stick 'em up" by grabbing a revolver and routing the bandits. He fired six shots into the car as it sped away.

England Abandons Wooden Airplanes

After 1928, Nation Will Depend Entirely Upon All-Metal Type Of Fighting Aircraft.

By KEITH JONES
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

London—Great Britain has turned to all-metal construction for her fighting aircraft.

After 1928 no more machines of wood construction will be built for the Air Ministry.

Such is the information which has been conveyed to the constructors of aircraft for the British Government, with the intimation that the government would change over to all-metal construction immediately, but realizes time is required for the re-equipment of shops of airplane manufacturers with metal working machinery to take the place of the wood-working machinery with which most of them are now equipped.

The decision to change over from wood to metal construction, it is said, was not due to the unquestioned superiority of metal construction over wood—for there are some features of wood construction in aircraft that are superior to metal—but to the scarcity of sufficient quantities of suitable wood to meet the tremendous demands that would be made upon airplane manufacturers in the event of a new war.

England is well equipped to supply all the metals needed in construction of metal aircraft, but is dependent upon other countries—notably the United States—for every foot of the airplane spruce that goes extensively into the construction of airplanes built of wood. It is also pointed out by the Air Ministry that for mass production the all-metal type lends itself to cheaper and quicker construction.

By "all-metal construction" the Air Ministry does not necesarily mean that the wing covering need also be made of metal but provision is made for the use of fabric for this purpose, where the special purpose of the designers deems fabric more suitable than metal. The framework of the airplane, however, must be constructed entirely of metal.

Duralumin, and the still newer use of stainless steel in airplane construction will play a large part in the makeup of the new machines.

The decision will have far-reaching effects not only on the aireraft manufacturers, but on the training of mechanics in the Royal Air Force, who will have to be retained, gaining expert knowledge of metal working, in place of the knowledge of wood-working that they now have.

It is believed here that the decision may also have far-reaching effects on the aireraft industry in the United States in connection with both military and commercial aviation.

SWALLOW SCHOOL ITEMS.

Edward Busby butchered Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ashford, and Harry Danner spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Danner.

Edison Blagg had a Freshman Masterpiece radio installed Thursday.

The C. C. Club of the Swallow district met Thursday at the home of Mrs. James Evans.

Miss Maenora Shamberger returned home Wednesday from a month's visit in St. Joseph at the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. M. Badger.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bird and sons Edward and Erman spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Bird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Busby.

A hot lunch club was formed last week. Cooks for this week were Robert Danner, Marie Seipel and Billy Blagg.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Jan. 25.—John Summers gave his minor sister a drink of whisky saying he just wanted to see how the girl would act when she had some booze in her. She acted so peculiar that officers learned of the act. John was fined $200 and costs by Circuit Judge Ferguson. The judge reprimanded him severely.

When love makes the world go round, it isn't always a merry-go-round.

Farm Economics

A Series of Timely Articles by Staff Members of the Missouri College of Agriculture.

The Sheep Cycle in 1926.

Periods of over and under production occur in the sheep industry as well as in the swine and cattle industries. Although the cycles are not as regularly marked in the sheep industry as they are in the cases of beef cattle and hogs they are sufficiently pronounced to be of much value to the farmer in sizing up the sheep situation. Simple price quotations are not the best measure of prosperity of the sheep industry, since it is in the value of sheep as compared to other things, or their purchasing power, that the farmer is most interested.

Since 1877 rather distinct cycles of 8 to 10 years in the purchasing power of sheep have occurred. In other words sheep values rise for four to five years and then decline for a similar period of time. The purchasing power of sheep declined from 1918 to 1922. Since that time there has been an upward trend in purchasing power. As a result, they have been higher in relation to other things during 1925 than ever before with the exception of 1918. If these experiences are repeated it is likely that a decline will come soon. During 1925 sheep have been a very profitable investment, and if they are to continue at such prices, the farmer would be highly justified in expanding his policy of sheep production. But there is little certainty that prices will retain their position; at least it is expedient to size up the situation before expanding to any great extent.

Lamb and wool prices have been very favorable during the past year. Despite the high prices there have been fewer lambs shipped to market than in 1924, due to an increased number of ewe lambs being held for the breeding flocks and a smaller lamb crop. There was a reduction of 5 per cent in the number of lambs on feed December 1, 1925 as compared to the same date in 1924.

One of the reasons for prices being favorable this last fall is the extremely small amount of mutton and lamb in storge. November 1, 1925 there was only 1.5 million pounds as compared to 12.9 million for the 5 year average. Also the fact that hogs have taken a rise in prices, and in so far as the two mets compete, it has been favorble for temporary stability of lamb and mutton prices. Wool has been high during 1925, and consumption has been greater than in 1924, although indications of stagnation have recently occurred in the wool market. Uruguay reports her wool crop to be moving very slowly as compared with last year.

The policy to follow in sheep production should largely depend on individual conditions. However, with the cycle apparently at the peak, and a larger number of ewe lambs being held back for breeding purposes, the farmer should be cautious in expanding operations in sheep production, even though an immediate break in prices and purchasing power cannot as yet be accurately foreseen.

LITTLE BRICK.

Mrs. Jesse Bever and Mrs. Johnston have both been quite sick with the flu the past week but are reported as improving at this time.

Mr. Somerville and Mr. Godbey visited our school last Monday. Improvement and repair of our playground equipment was recommended.

The teacher and pupils were pleasantly surprised Friday when a ten volume set of books, "Rural Life" was delivered at the school room. The school board purchased them some time ago, but didn't tell us about it. We certainly appreciate having such a valuable addition to our library and will endeavor to use them to the best of our ability.

Friday Jan. 29 will be picture day in our school room, each child will bring interesting pictures to school and be able to tell interesting facts about them. The collections will include, historical, geographical and pictures of home life. On that day we will review the lines of artists and their masterpieces.

Some people wonder why they don't get on when they are merely trying to get by.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK

Hogs

Receipts 4,000; market 25c to 35c higher.
Top, $12.85; bulk $12.25 to $12.80.

Cattle

Receipts 3,000; market steady.
Bulk of steers, $8 to $9.25.
Cows and heifers, $3.50 to $9.
Calves, $5.50 to $12.
Stockers and feeders, $6.50 to $8.25.

Sheep

Receipts 6,000; market strong to 15c higher.
Lambs, $13.50 to $14.50.
Ewes, $8 to $8.75.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Cattle

Receipts 5,000; market steady to 50c up.

Hogs

Receipts 10,500; market 35c higher.

Sheep

Receipts 1,500; market steady.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK

Hogs

Receipts 6,500; market strong; 10c to 15c up.

Cattle

Receipts 14,500; market 10c to 25c up.

Sheep

Receipts, 7,500; market strong to 25c higher.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Hogs

Receipts 45,000; market active; 15c to 25c up.

Cattle

Receipts 20,000; market higher.

Sheep

Receipts 16,000; market 25c to 50c higher.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 7,000; market 25c to 40c higher.
Bulk, $12.25 to $12.80.
Heavies, $12 to $12.50.
Butchers, $12.25 to $12.80.
Lights, $12.50 to $13.
Pigs, $12 to $13.

Cattle

Receipts 13,000; market stronger.
Prime fed steers, $10.50 to $11.50.
Dressed beef steers, $7 to $10.50.
Western steers, $7.25 to $10.
Southern steers, $6.25 to $9.50.
Cows, $3.40 to $8.
Heifers, $5.75 to $10.
Stockers and feeders, $6 to $9.
Bulls, $4.25 to $6.50.
Calves, $9.50 to $12.

Sheep

Receipts 5,000; market stronger.
Spring lambs, $14 to $14.50.
Yearlings, $10 to $11.75.
Ewes, $7.50 to $8.60.
Wethers, $8.25 to $9.25.
Stockers and feeders, $14 to $14.25.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.76½ to $1.77¾.
CORN—No. 3 yellow, 77c to 79c; No. 4 mixed, 74c; No. 4 white, 73c to 74½c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 41¾c to 42¼c; No. 3 white, 41½c to 42c.
HAY—Timothy, $7 to $7.50; clover, $27.25 to $31.25.
RYE—$1.00½ to $1.01¼.
BARLEY—69c to 75c.

Chicago Grain Table

WHEAT—Open	High	Low	Close
Old			
May ..$1.67¾	$1.70⅛	$1.66¾	$1.69¾
New			
May ..$1.70	$1.72⅜	$1.68¾	$1.71⅞
July ..$1.48	$1.49⅝	$1.46⅝	$1.49¼
Sept. ..$1.40⅛	$1.41¼	$1.38⅝	$1.41¼
CORN—			
May ..$ .83½	$ .84¼	$ .83¼	$ .84⅜
July ..$ .85⅞	$ .86⅜	$ .85⅛	$ .86⅝
Sept. ..$ .87¼	$ .87⅞	$ .86¾	$ .87⅞

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 146 cars; hard, 1c lower to 1c higher; red, 1c lower to 1c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.73½ to $1.83; No. 3 hard, $1.71 to $1.80; No. 2 red, $1.85 to $1.86½; No. 3 red, $1.82½ to $1.85.

CORN—Receipts 145 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 74½c to 75½c; No. 3 mixed, 71½c to 75c; No. 2 yellow, 76c to 77c; No. 2 white, 76c to 77c; No. 3 yellow, 72½c to 74c.

OATS—Receipts 13 cars; market unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 red, 46c to 48c; No. 2 white, 44c to 45c.

RYE—No. 2, 93c to 94c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $12 to $13.50; timothy, No. 1, $19.50 to $20.50; alfalfa, choice, 24 to $25.

Eggs, 32½c; seconds, 26c.

Butter, 47c; packing, 28c.

Hens, 25c; turkeys and young toms, 42c; broilers, 34c; ducks, 25c; geese, 17c.

Closing Grain Review

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Strength growing out of an oversold condition gave wheat its first substantial advance in more than two weeks on the Chicago Board of Trade today. Prices finished 1 1-8 to 1 3-8 cents higher, after rebounding from new bottom on the movement. Strength was communicated to small grains.

A rush of last-minute buying featured wheat's higher finish. Prices gradually sank to new lows in the morning, selling by eastern and northwestern houses because of the weaker cables and free flow of southern hemisphere grains to the continent. At the close it was evident that the weak foreign situation was precluded by the strong domestic situation. Export business was negligible.

The improved cash situation, lighter movement and strength in wheat, sent corn up fractionally. There was an active demand for white corn from elevator interests and industrials.

Oats remained in a rut. The finish was firm and without features.

Brisk cash house buying boosted lard after an opening slump.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per doz.	27c
Cream, per lb.	34c
Heavy Hens, per lb.	22c
Light Hens, per lb.	16c
Springs, per lb.	20c
Leghorn Staggs, per lb.	16c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	18c
Leghorn Hens, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	13c
Cocks, per lb	7c
Hides, per lb	7c

Dog in Bank Vault 38 Hours.

(Rock Port Mail).

George Klump, assistant cashier of the Citizens Bank, got a real surprise Monday morning when, as he opened the vault door, out hopped a small dog which had been locked in the vault when the bank closed for business Saturday evening, about 38 hours before.

The dog was little "Mike," a sort of "town character" terrier who makes the rounds of the business houses for a place to sleep. Evidently he decided to guard the bank's cash over Sunday and crawled into the vault for the purpose. But he was a hungry little cur when he gained his freedom.

January

IS a hard month on outer clothing—and custom. Freshness of appearance must be maintained and your heavy outer coats should be dry cleaned as often as dresses during winter. Workmanship here is just as good as we aim to have our courteous and prompt service to you.

Superior Cleaning Co.

Dyers and Cleaners
Hanamo 80. Farmers 73

What Skinny Men Ought to Know

Gain Weight and Strength in 30 Days Or Money Back.

You probably know that Cod Liver Oil is the greatest flesh producer in the world.

Because it contains more Vitamines than any food you can get.

You'll be glad to know that Cod Liver Oil comes in sugar-coated tablets now, so if you really want to put 10 or 20 pounds of real healthy flesh on your bones and feel well and strong ask Gaugh & Evans or any druggist for a box of McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets.

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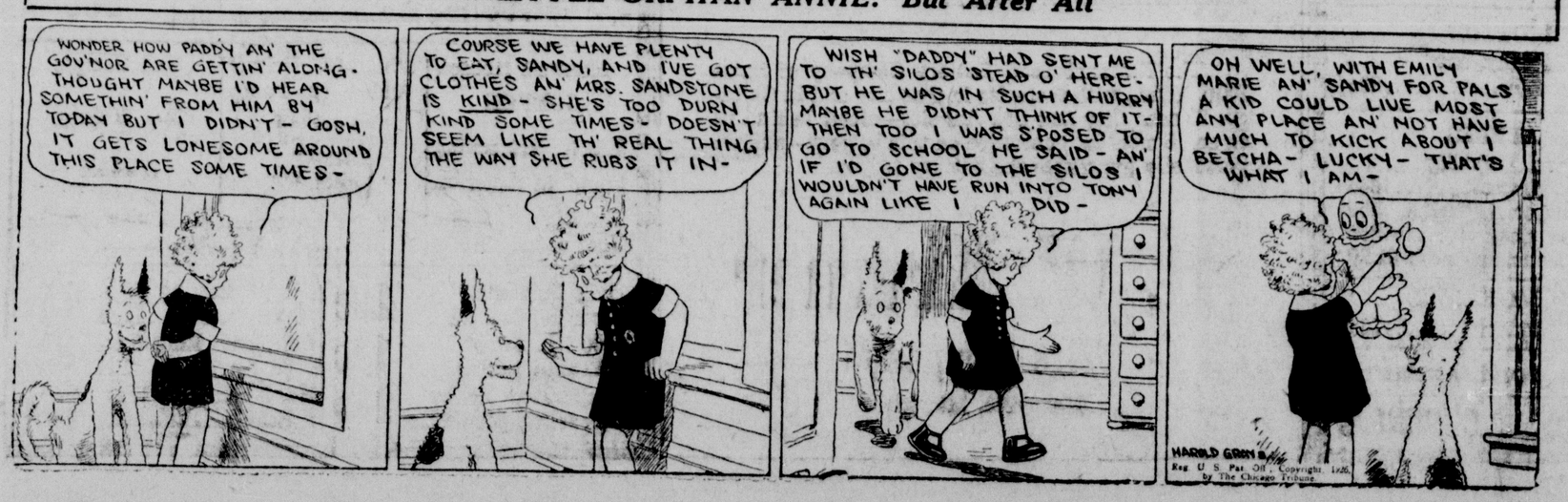
It isn't anything unusual for a person to gain 10 pounds in 30 days.

"Get McCoy's, the original and genuine Cod Liver Oil Tablets."—Advertisement.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE. But After All


WONDER HOW PADDY AN' THE GOV'NOR ARE GETTIN' ALONG- THOUGHT MAYBE I'D HEAR SOMETHIN' FROM HIM BY TODAY BUT I DIDN'T- GOSH, IT GETS LONESOME AROUND THIS PLACE SOME TIMES-
COURSE WE HAVE PLENTY TO EAT, SANDY, AND I'VE GOT CLOTHES AN' MRS. SANDSTONE IS KIND- SHE'S TOO DURN KIND SOME TIMES- DOESN'T SEEM LIKE TH' REAL THING THE WAY SHE RUBS IT IN-
WISH "DADDY" HAD SENT ME TO TH' SILOS 'STEAD O' HERE- BUT HE WAS IN SUCH A HURRY MAYBE HE DIDN'T THINK OF IT- THEN TOO I WAS S'POSED TO GO TO SCHOOL HE SAID- AN' IF I'D GONE TO THE SILOS I WOULDN'T HAVE RUN INTO TONY AGAIN LIKE I DID-
OH WELL, WITH EMILY MARIE AN' SANDY FOR PALS A KID COULD LIVE MOST ANY PLACE AN' NOT HAVE MUCH TO KICK ABOUT I BETCHA- LUCKY- THAT'S WHAT I AM-
HAROLD GRAY
Reg U S Pat. Off. Copyright 1926 by The Chicago Tribune

Bearcats Trim Doctors In Extra Period---M.I.A.A. Conference Race On

BULLDOGS AND INDIANS LEAD

M. I. A. A. SEASON NOW OFFICIALLY UNDER WAY.

ALL PLAY THIS WEEK

Maryville and Warrensburg At Bottom. No Conference Game At Springfield Yet.

M. I. A. A. STANDINGS.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cape Girardeau	1	0	1.000
Kirksville	1	0	1.000
Springfield	0	0	.000
Maryville	0	1	.000
Warrensburg	0	1	.000

With the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association season officially under way, the Cape Girardeau Indians and the Kirksville Bulldogs are leading the conference with a percentage of 1.000.

Four of the five conference schools have played this season. The Springfield Bears have not been seen in action against a M. I. A. A. school, but their pre-conference games have branded them as a strong basketball outfit, worthy of consideration in forecasting the season's outcome.

Friday night, Kirksville trimmed the local Bearcats, and the Cape team badly defeated the Warrensburg quintet. Soph, star Mule center was out of the line-up, however, and this likely accounts for the one-sidedness of the 44-14 score.

All five of the conference schools will be seen in action this week. Maryville plays Cape Friday night, and Kirksville opens the Springfield season at Springfield. On Saturday night, the Bulldogs will play at Warrensburg.

Following is the season's schedule for all teams:

Maryville—Jan. 28, Maryville at Cape Girardeau; Feb. 5, Kirksville at Maryville; Feb. 10, Cape Girardeau at Maryville; Feb. 11, Springfield at Maryville; Feb. 18, Maryville at Warrensburg; Feb. 24, Maryville at Springfield; March 5, Warrensburg at Maryville.

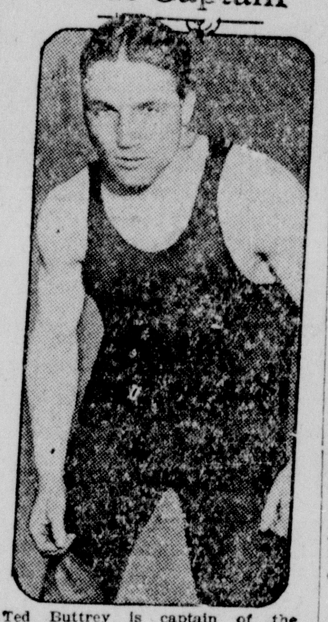
Kirksville—Jan. 28, Kirksville at Springfield; Jan. 29, Kirksville at Warrensburg; Feb. 5, Kirksville at Maryville; Feb. 11, Cape Girardeau at Kirksville; Feb. 13, Springfield at Kirksville; Feb. 19, Kirksville at Cape Girardeau; Feb. 25, Warrensburg at Kirksville.

Cape Girardeau—Jan. 28, Maryville at Cape; Feb. 10, Cape at Maryville; Feb. 11, Cape at Kirksville; Feb. 12, Cape at Warrensburg; Feb. 19, Kirksville at Cape; Feb. 26, Cape at Springfield; March 6, Springfield at Cape.

Warrensburg—Jan. 29, Kirksville at Warrensburg; Feb. 4, Warrensburg at Springfield; Feb. 12, Cape Girardeau at Warrensburg; Feb. 18, Maryville at Warrensburg; Feb. 19, Springfield at Warrensburg; Feb. 25, Warrensburg at Kirksville; Feb. 27, Warrensburg at Maryville.

Springfield—Jan. 28, Kirksville at Springfield; Feb. 4, Warrensburg at Springfield; Feb. 11, Springfield at Maryville; Feb. 13, Springfield at Kirksville; Feb. 19, Springfield at Warrensburg; Feb. 24, Maryville at at Springfield; Feb. 26, Cape Girardeau at Springfield; March 6, Springfield at Cape Girardeau.

Mat Captain



Ted Buttrey is captain of the Princeton University wrestling team. He's a native of Havre, Mont. Ted tips the beams at 145 pounds. He hopes to lead the Tiger mat artists to many victories.

St. Louis Baseball Park Is Enlarged

St. Louis, Jan. 25 (United Press).—The baseball season is still distant but the ever-faithful and hoping fans here are already becoming imbued with the bug.

This year, they point out, the time worn excuse that St. Louis is not prepared for a World Series will be shattered by the completion of added seating arrangements at Sportsman's Park.

Early last fall work was started on the park by Phil De C. Ball, president and owner of the Browns and of Sportsman's Park, to convert it from a handbox affair with 18,000 seating capacity to a modern league plant seating more than 32,000.

"Just One of 'Those Nights'" Says Coach "Shorty" Lawrence

Notwithstanding the fact that his State Teachers College Bearcats lost the first conference game of the season Friday night to Kirksville, Coach "Shorty" Lawrence was in an optimistic mood today.

"I just couldn't find it in my heart to say anything to the boys after that game. They didn't deserve criticism. It's hard to explain the situation. The boys were much the same as a man mired in quicksand. The harder they tried to come out of it, the deeper they became imbedded. It was just one of 'those nights.'"

Since "Shorty" isn't given to alibi propounding, it's more than likely that it was a case of stage fright rather than over confidence at Kirksville. One of the Bearcat players, a veteran of three years, said today. "It wasn't over confidence. If anything, we were under confident."

On Saturday night, those who saw the game say that the Bearcats gave a wonderful exhibition of recovering from a case of the "buck." It would seem, they say, that Coach Lawrence's men seemed to be saying to themselves, "We musn't be off as we were last night," and, consequently, they played well all the time, but several times they would spurt noticeabiy.

This week both of the Maryville High School teams play away from home. They go to College Springs, Ia., where they will meet two strong teams. The Iowa girls particularly are rated as good to the nth degree.

Basketball is in full sway in practically all of the towns in Nodaway County. Interest is keen, and many good teams are being developed.

Several students from the State Teachers College have been called on to referee games this year. Howell England, Bearcat football player, is working games regularly.

Coach "Bill" Herbert of the Maryville High School bids fair to turn out a basketball team this year, which will rival that one of Coach Ezell six years ago. Fans will remember the combination made up of such men as Faris, Kirby, DeArmond, French, Foreman, Campbell, and others.

And the Maryville High girls are beginning to attract notice. Miss Ruth Bookman, coach, is giving them constructive work, which is bringing the desired results.

Longer winter lasts the longer it will be before we have to cut the weeds again.

Winter teaches us one thing. Sidewalks may be easy on the feet but they are hard on the head.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

Matinee at 3:00. Night 7:30 and 9:00
Admission 10c and 30c

Tonight only—
Evelyn Brent in 'LADY ROBINHOOD'
A fighting, flaming madcap in a fighting, flaming drama! Superb suspense! Exciting adventure! Colorful characters! Also a comedy, "DON'T WORRY."

Tuesday, January 26
Pete Morrison in 'WEST OF ARIZONA'
If you have red blood in your veins—if you love the great out vein—if you love the great outdoors—if you enjoy romance and adventure — see "WEST OF ARIZONA." Also International News.

Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 27 and 28 — **"THE DRESSMAKER FROM PARIS."** With Leatrice Joy, Ernest Torrence and the fourteen International Beauty Models. Here is the perfect entertainment of 1925! A gorgeous romance and fashion spectacle. With the pick of the world's beauties and the latest styles from Paris.

LOCALS WIN IN EXTRA PERIOD

BEARCATS TRIM OSTEOPATHS IN 37-to-34. GAME.

CAME FROM BEHIND

Kirksville Quintet Lead. 17 to 14 at Half In Game Played Saturday Night.

Smarting from a conference defeat at the hands of the Kirksville Teachers College the night before, the local Teachers College Bearcats played an extra 5-minute period with the Kirksville Ostephatic College Saturday night and won, 37 to 34.

The game was a thriller. Ten seconds before it should have ended, the score stood 32 to 30 in favor of Maryville. Springer, Kirksville forward, intercepted a pass, shot from midcourt, and tied the score. The ball was put in play, Ungles took the tip-off and shot as the gun sounded. His flip rung the basket rim, circled it, and toppled out.

In the play-off, Burks scored first, and then Berst made a free throw. The Osteopaths were given a free throw. The shot missed, but an Osteopath player tipped the ball in for a field goal.

The period was in its waning minutes, and Berst, Maryville center, tipped the ball, recovered it, dribbled through the Kirksville defense, and shot for the final score of the game.

Maryville scored first. Burks shot from near the goal. Then Berst cut loose with a 2-pointer. Shortly before the end of the half, Maryville led, 14 to 10. Then the Osteopaths struck a spurt and were leaders at halftime, 17 to 14.

Coach Lawrence used seven men in the game. His four forwards were all given a chance.

The team left Kirksville at noon yesterday and arrived in Maryville on the 7:42 o'clock Wabash train last night.

The score:

MARYVILLE (37)—	G.	F. T.
Burks, f	6	1
Ungles, f	4	1
Berst, c	5	1
Joy, g	2	0
Blomfield, g	0	0
Aldrich, f	0	0
Hedges, f	0	0
Total	17	3

KIRKSVILLE (34)	G.	F. T.
Springer, f	5	1
Numiker, f	5	1
Thompson, c	3	0
Andrews, g	2	0
Whistle, g	0	1
Swayne, g	0	1
TOTAL	15	4

Barnard High to Play St. Patrick' Quintet

Game Will Be Played At Maryville High School Gymnasium Tomorrow Night.—No Preliminary.

The Barnard High School basketball team will come to Maryville tomorrow night for a game in the local High School gymnasium with the St. Patrick's School quintet.

The affair will start at 8 o'clock and Four of Albany will referee. There will be no preliminary.

Read the Want Ads.

CHOICE CUT FLOWERS AND POTTED PLANTS for all occasions.
Kissinger Greenhouses
Block south of Hospital
Phone 374.

PAVING TAX BILLS NOTICE

The paving tax bills for paving Walnut street, Halsey street to Thompson street are now due and payable and can be paid at the Nodaway Valley Bank without interest if paid on or before January 28, 1926.

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Where QUALITY Is Higher Than Price.

Banks pay you 4 per cent on what you save
We pay you 4 per cent on what you spend

A new plan, whereby you save money as you spend it—ask about it—save your receipts (you'll be given one with each cash purchase).

Also some Real Bargains for Tuesday and Wednesday—

LARGE QUAKER OATS - - - - 22c
CALUMET BAKING POWDER - - 28c
4 BARS TOILET SOAP - - - - 25c
(Rose Glycerine — Almond Cocoa — Trilby).

FISH — OYSTERS
Sable cat fish, lb 35c
Large white Oysters, pint 45c
Large fat Mackerel 15c

RAISINS
Best seedless Raisins, storage but good, 15c pkgs. 3 for 25c

JAMS — JELLIES
35c glasses Batavia Jell 10c
45c jars Batavia Jam ... 15c
Just a clean-up on these items.

APPLE SAUCE
25c cans Batavia Apple Sauce 10c
Much cheaper than fresh Apples.

Canned Cherries, 25c cans Red Cherries 15c

BUCK WHEAT
Just received from Canton, Pa. 10 lb bags 65c

Bluing, pint bottles for .. 10c

MUTTON
Fresh Tuesday, any cut, per lb 25c

APPLES
No. 1 quality
Ben Davis, peck 65c
York Imperial, peck 75c
Jonathan, peck 85c
Fancy Delicious, peck $1.20

BULK KRAUT
Morrell's, quart 10c

Just compare our 55c Batavia Coffee to any 65c coffee on the market.

Gold Medal, the standard flour of the world $2.75

FREE
Radio Recharging

We are able to make you the following proposition on a

National Radio Battery

due to a large quantity purchase.

This is the regular NATIONAL RADIO BATTERY guaranteed 18 months—100 ampere hour capacity, in rubber case with handle—
The price is **$14.95**

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This means that we will recharge the battery four times free if it is brought to us and called for—or three times if we call for and deliver it in the city. In addition to this we will allow you $2.00 for one junk Radio or car battery to apply on a NEW NATIONAL RADIO BATTERY.

The National Lead Battery Company of Saint Paul, Minn., with factories in that city and in Chicago, Kansas City and Los Angeles—stand behind us on an 18 months' guarantee on this battery—and we personally guarantee the battery to you.

H. W. Kramer
Tire Company

Maryville, Missouri

TOWNSENDS
MAIN AT FOURTH

"Where the Best Costs Less."

These Prices for Tuesday and Wednesday.

Quart cans solid pack Wisconsin Kraut 10c
Quart cans Van Camp's Best Hominy 10c
Quart cans Golden Pumpkin 10c
Quart can Virginia Sweet Potatoes 20c
Quart can Del Monte whole Sweet Potatoes 25c
Quart can fancy Spinach 21c
No. 2 cans Masterpiece Brand Spinach 15c

Special drive on fine Coffees
Fancy Santos Peaberry Coffee (bulk), lb 40c
Standard Peaberry Coffee (bulk) lb 35c
Jumbo and Peaberry Coffee blended, lb 40c
1 lb carton Over The Top Brand Coffee 35c
1 lb carton Worthmore Brand Coffee 30c
3 lb cans Breakfast Bland Coffee 97c

POTATOES 10 lbs for 50c

FLOUR and SUGAR at less than carload cost, both days. Buy all you wish.
25 lb factory filled sack fine Granulated Sugar for $1.42
10 lb factory filled sack fine Granulated Sugar for 58c

Bulk PEANUT BUTTER 2 lbs 35c

Beech Nut CATSUP 35c big bottles for 25c

48 lb sack Economy Hard Wheat Patent Flour $2.16
48 lb sack Fancy Cream High Patent Flour $2.28
48 lb sack High Chief Extra Short Patent Flour $2.33

No. 2 cans Mrs. Winston APPLE BUTTER for 18c

Calif. Oval Cans SARDINES 1 lb. net weight Tomatoes or Mustard Dressing 12c
This is the 20c can

FRESH OYSTERS
Big supply now on hand. Atlantic Coast Direct Shipments, pint ... 45c
Quart 85c
Gallon $3.15

Woodward Famous INNER CIRCLE BRAND Chocolate Candy, $1.50 and $1.25 box, 1 lb. each, in this sale for 78c

DILL PICKLES 4 for 10c

Fresh Cauliflower lb. 20c

MUSHROOMS Hotel Brand, Tall cans 35c
3 for $1.00

Fresh and Cured MEATS
BACON, 3 lb. piece or more, per lb. 32c
HAMS, Morrell's Pride, per lb. 28c
SAUSAGE, Forsyth's Link, per lb. 26c
Frankfurters, per lb. 16c
Chuck Roast of Beef, per lb. 17½c
Bologna, per lb. 16c
Liver Sausage, per lb 18c
Bacon Squares, per lb. 25c
Dry Salt Bacon, per lb., 21c

FIG BARS 2 lbs. 25c

Head LETTUCE 10c

Gallon cans GOLDEN BANTAM CORN on the cob 50c

Maxwell House COFFEE
The largest selling brand in America.
The Big Blue can 58c

Winesaps, Grimes Golden or Fancy Jonathan APPLES 85c pk.
3 lbs. 25c

Van Camp's Red Kidney BEANS
No. 2 size can 10c

Bulk Currants, per lb. 20c
1000 lbs. Sweet Prunes, per lb. 10c
Evaporated Yellow Peaches, per lb. 20c

White Stewing Figs, per lb. 15c
California Ring Cured Apples, lb. 15c
No. 2 cans Cut Wax Beans 10c